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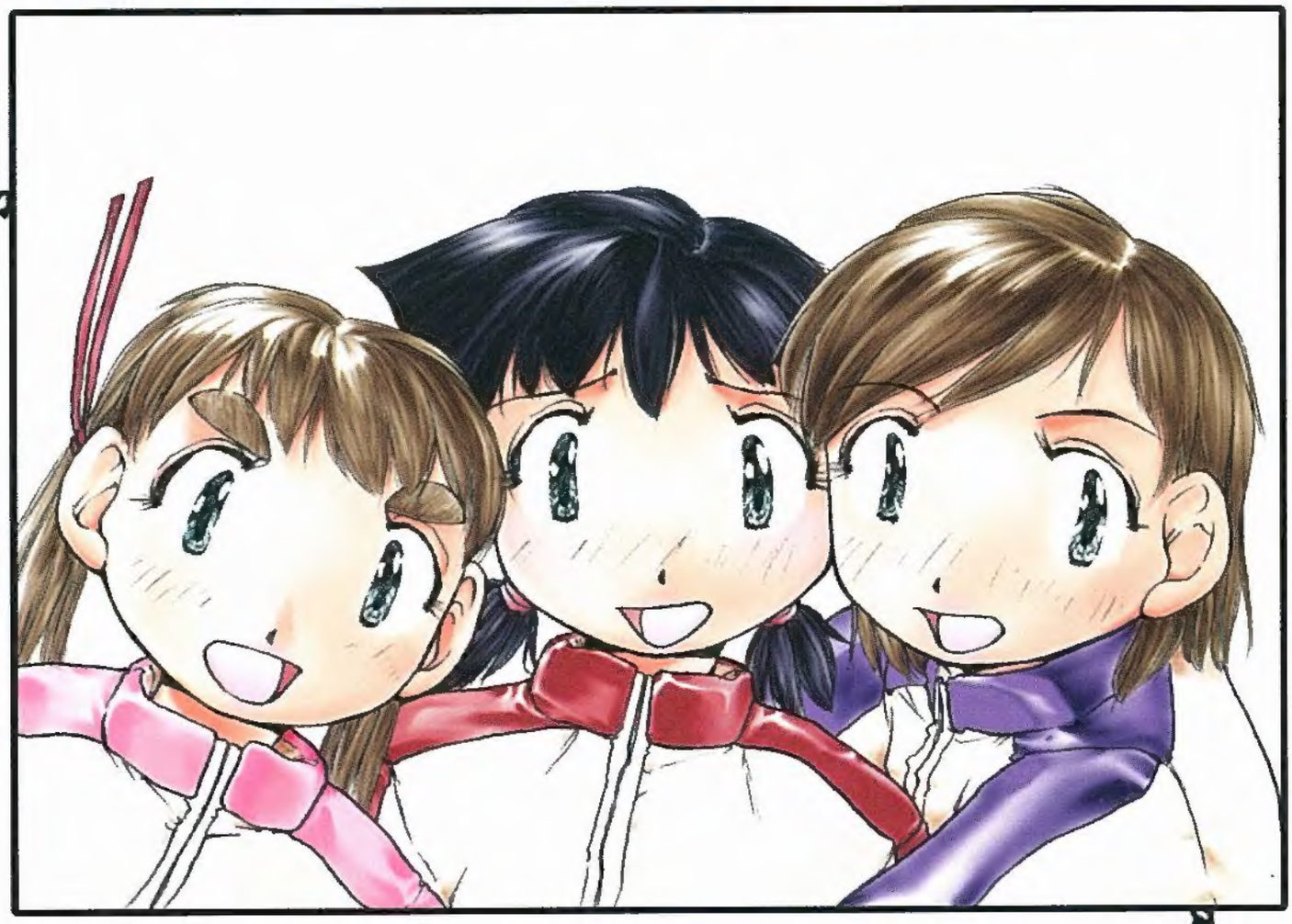

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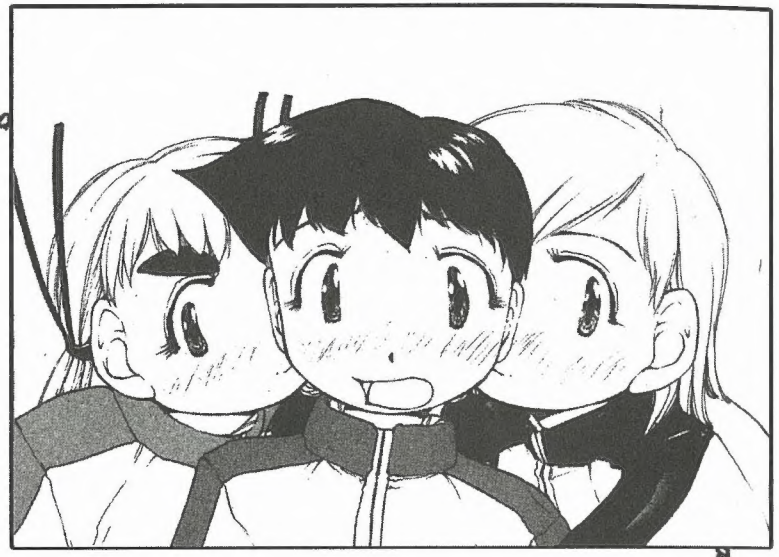

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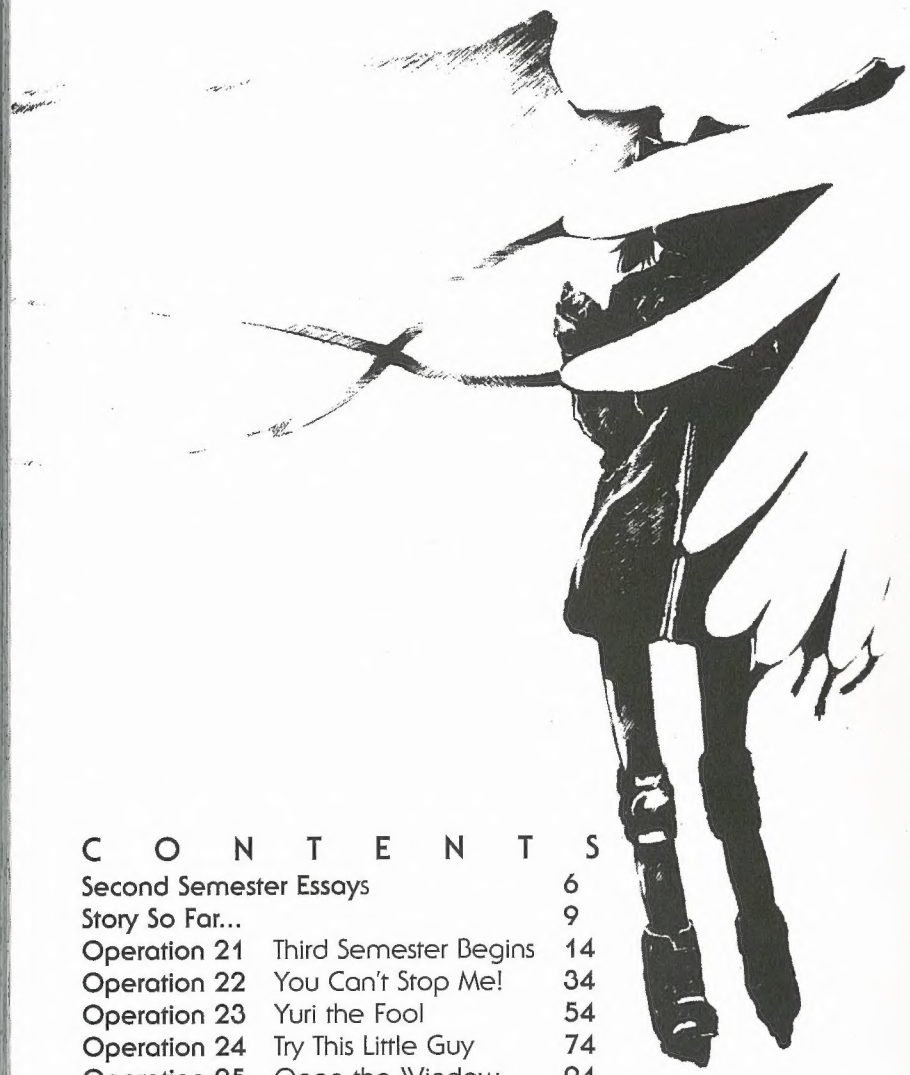

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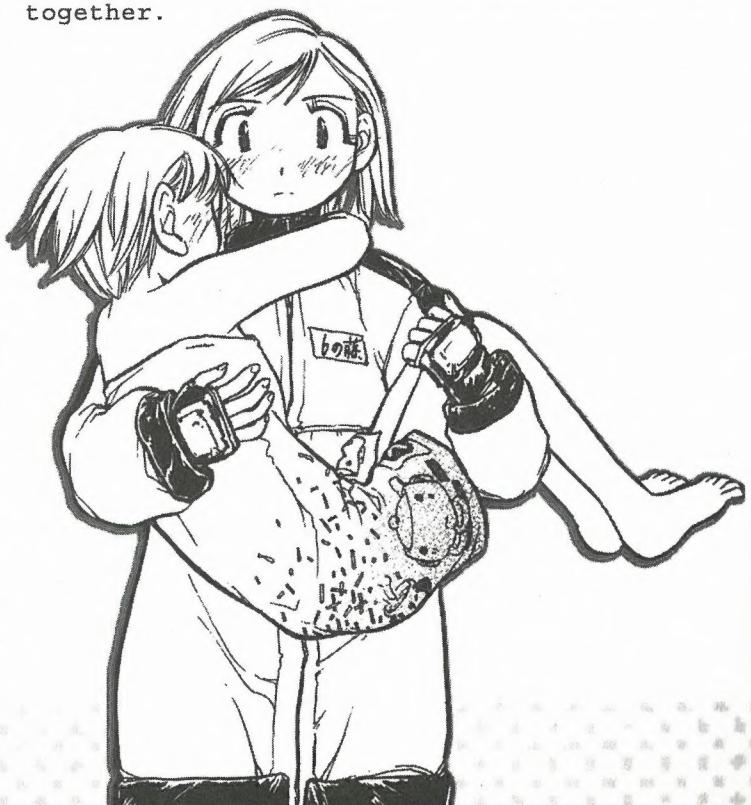
Kumi's Essay

KUMI KAWAMURA
Grade 6 Fuji Class (Wisteria Class)
Born: September 11, 2002
Blood type: AB

When I first started in the Alien Party, I thought it would be a great way to get away from my former responsibilities of class president and student council. Everyone depended on me and it was a lot of pressure. I had no idea what real pressure was.

As a member of the Alien Party, I find myself responsible for the lives and well-being of everyone in the school, especially Yuri, who I have grown close to over the months working together.



Kasumi's Essay

Kasumi Tomine
Grade 6 Momo Class (Peach Class)
Born: July 1, 2002
Blood type: AB

The second semester was a time of great changes for me. When I started out, I had a deep feeling of loneliness. I missed my brother because he was overseas studying, but since my encounter with Yellow Knife, I am no longer alone. Whatever I do and wherever I go, I know that there is always someone to support me and help me be my best.

Story so far...

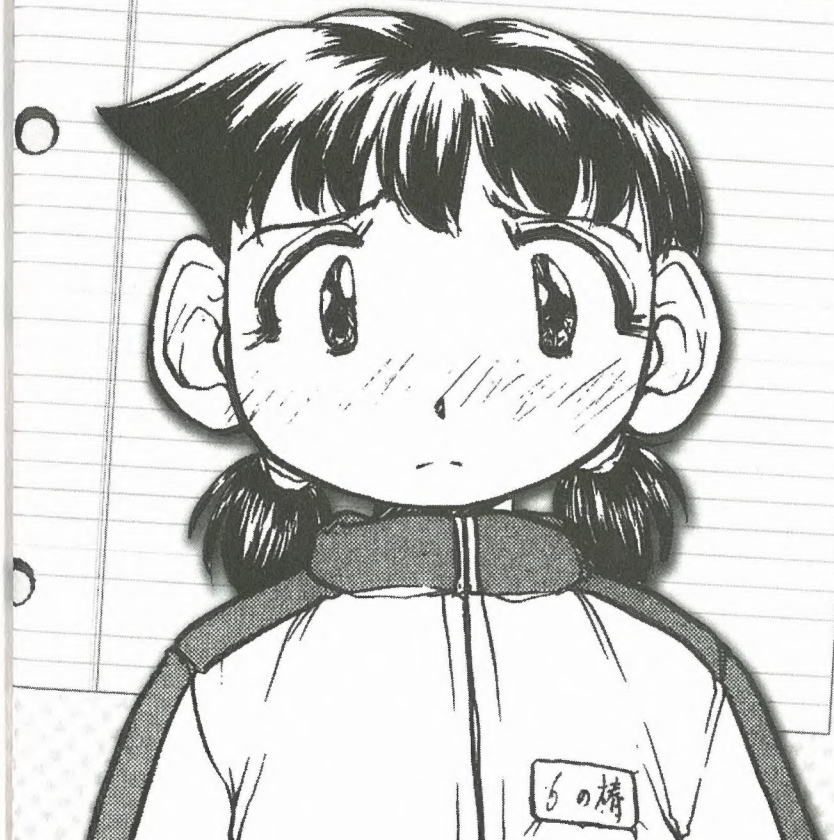
The world has changed. Alien invasion has become a part of everyday life and select children have become the test subjects for clandestine experiments conducted by clans of alien symbiotes. Elementary School Nine is just one place in the world where the symbiotes are in control.

Our story focuses on Yuri, Kumi, and Kasumi, the members of the Alien Party. These girls have been through two semesters of hell, which have resulted in Kumi becoming absorbed into the 'Borg's Drill Clan (the dominant clan in Elementary School Nine). Also, Kasumi has become a member of another alien clan known as the Yellow Knife (this granted her disorienting sonic powers and put her at odds with those in power at Elementary School Nine). But, despite all of these drastic changes to the two girls, they have managed to hold onto one last vestige of their humanity. Both have vowed never to let what happened to them ever happen to Yuri, the last member of the group that is still completely human.

Yuri's Essay

YURI OTANI
Grade 6 Tsubaki Class (Camellia Class)
Born: June 8, 2002
Blood type: AB

I never wanted to be in the Alien Party. Aliens are gross and slimy and they show up at the worst times. There is a big positive to being in the Alien Party though. I have made some really good friends, most especially Kumi. I hope that we can all stay friends even if I have to leave the Alien Party, even if they aren't the same people that they used to be.



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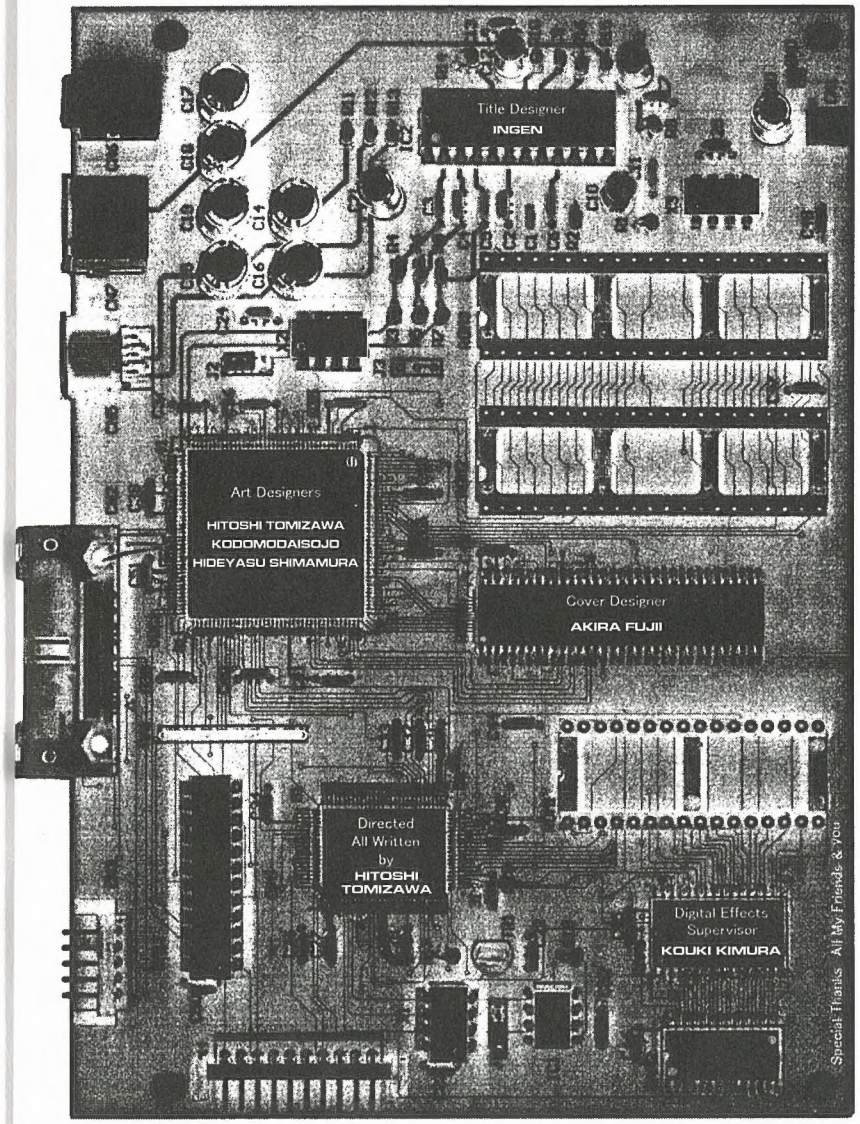
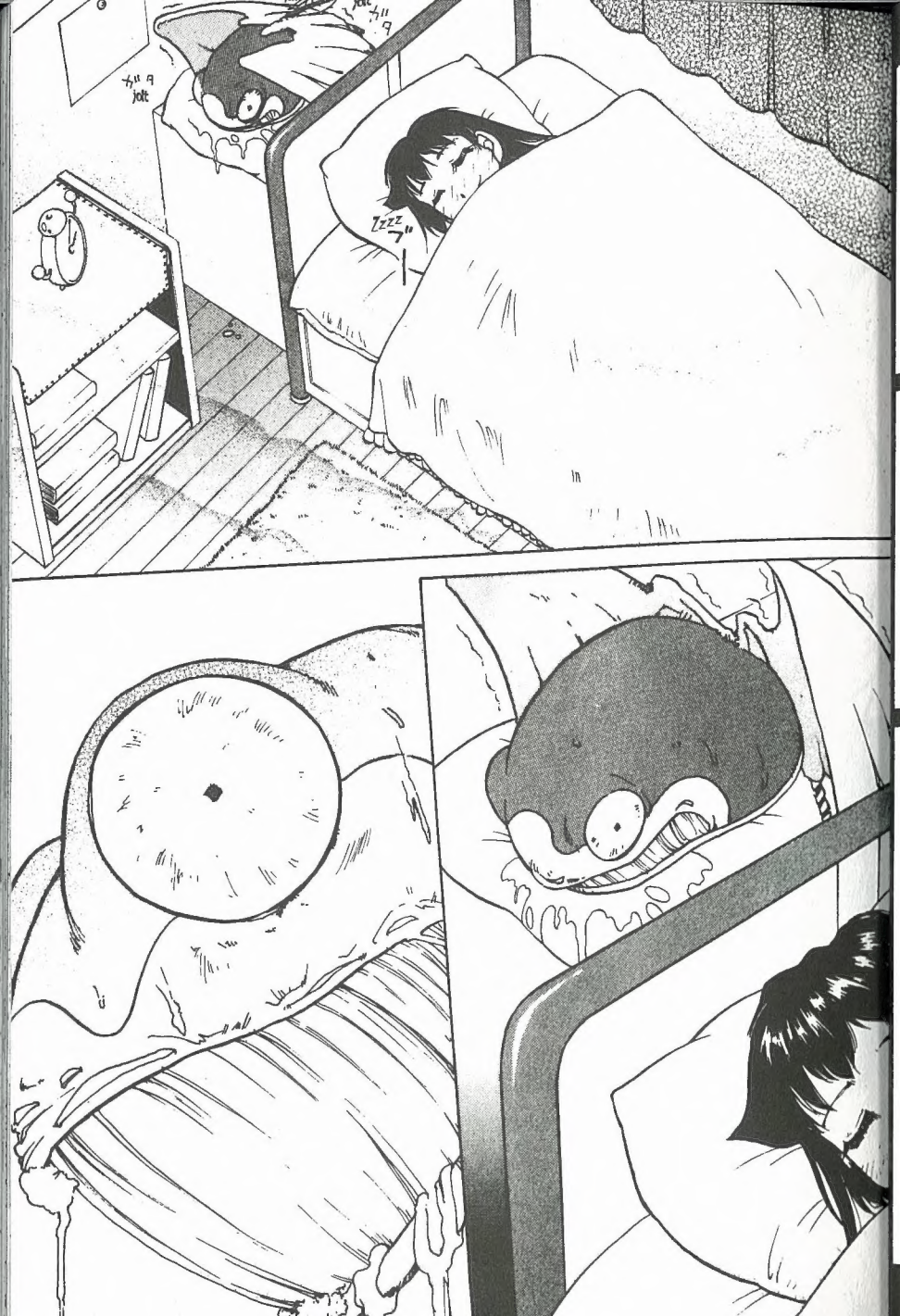
*HITOSHI TOMIZAWA

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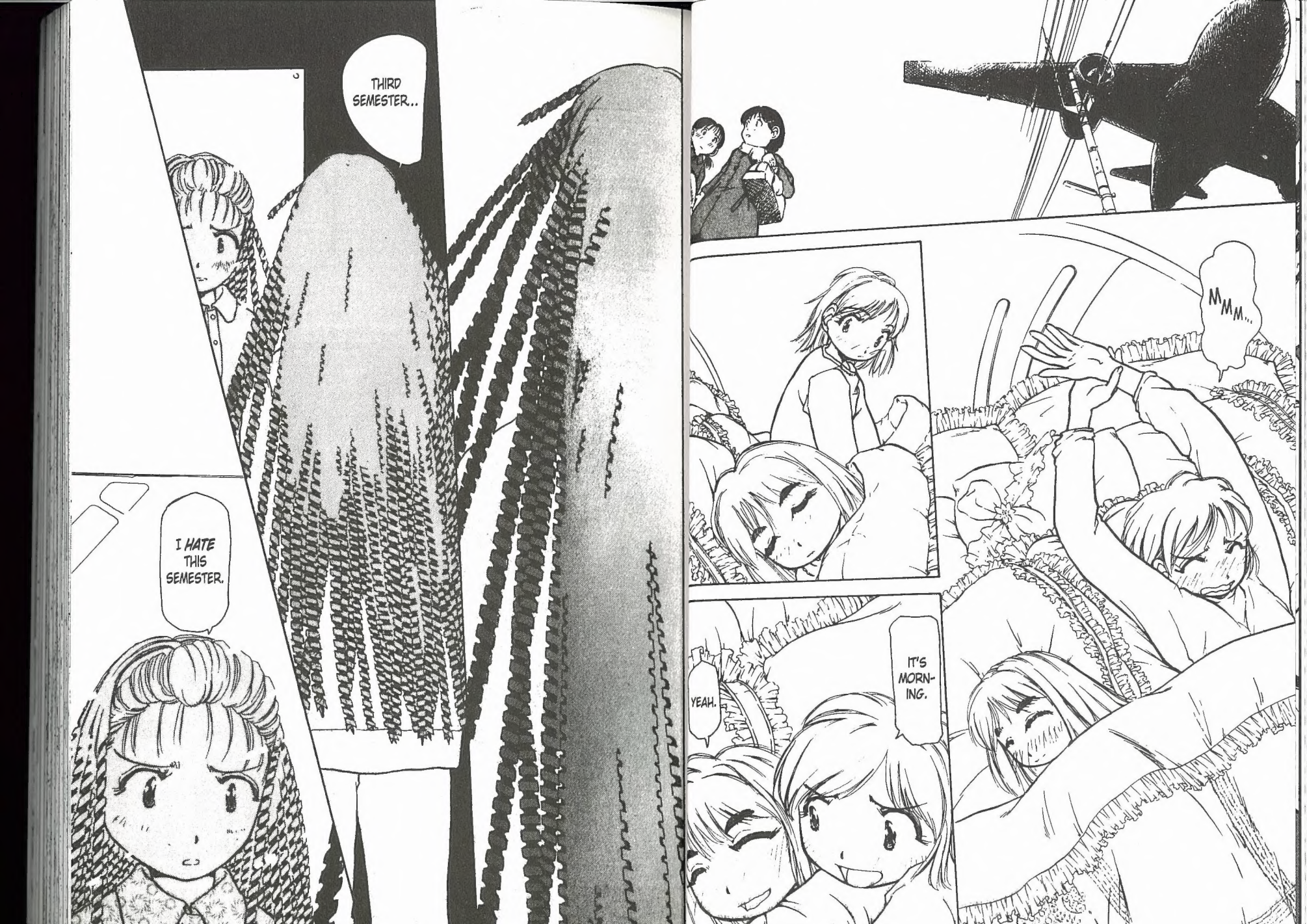
TODAY IS THE BEGINNING OF THE THIRD SEMESTER.
THEY MADE ME DO IT AGAINST MY WILL.
--BEING IN THE ALIEN PARTY IS THE WORST.
OF ALL THE JOBS A SCHOOL GIRL CAN HAVE--
6の林
JUST TWO MONTHS TO GO. I'VE GOTTA HANG ON TWO MORE MONTHS AND IT'S OVER.
IT'S ALMOST OVER.

OPERATION 21:
THIRD SEMESTER BEGINS

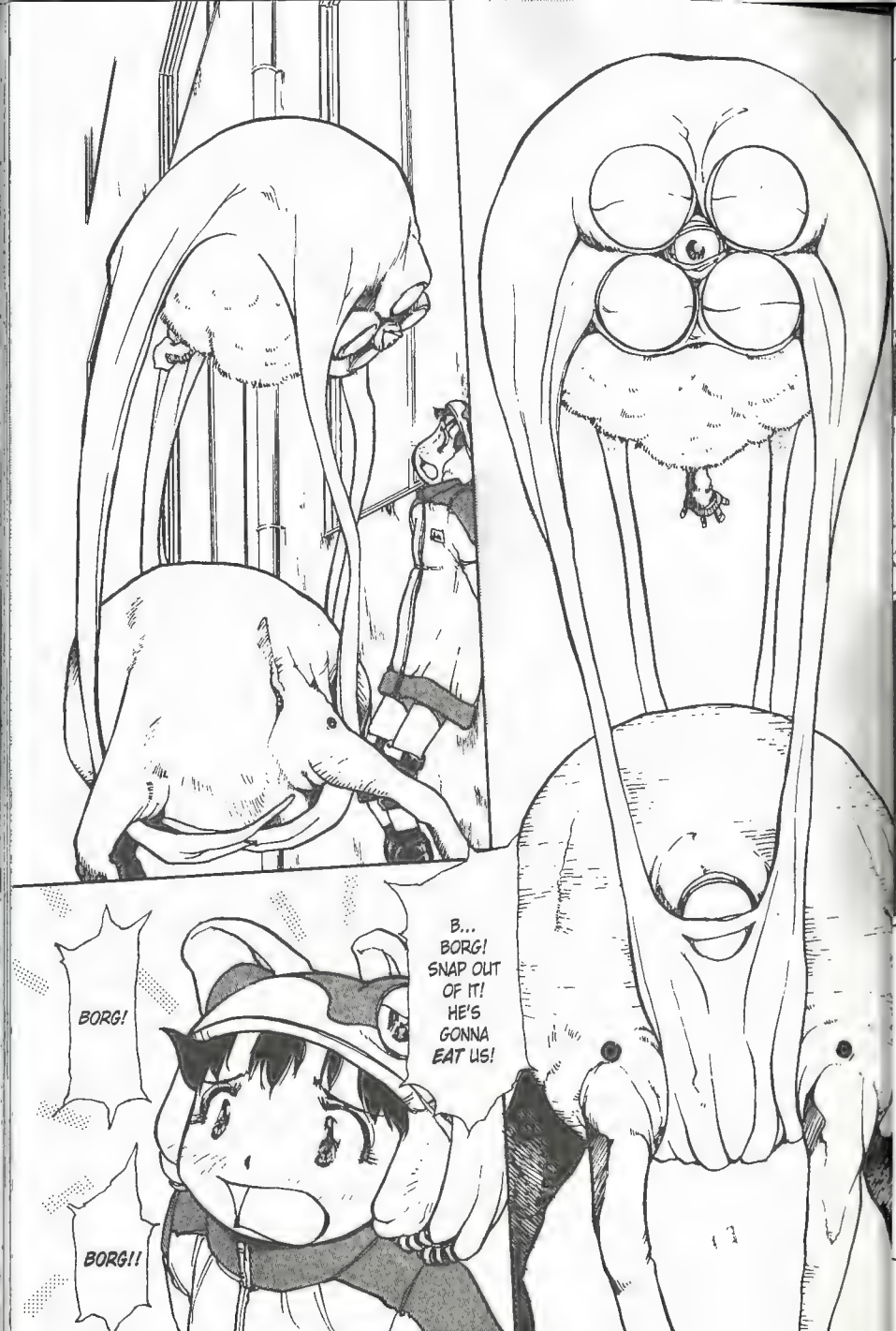

THIRD SEMESTER..
I HATE THIS SEMESTER.
MMM...
IT'S MORN-ING.
YEAH.

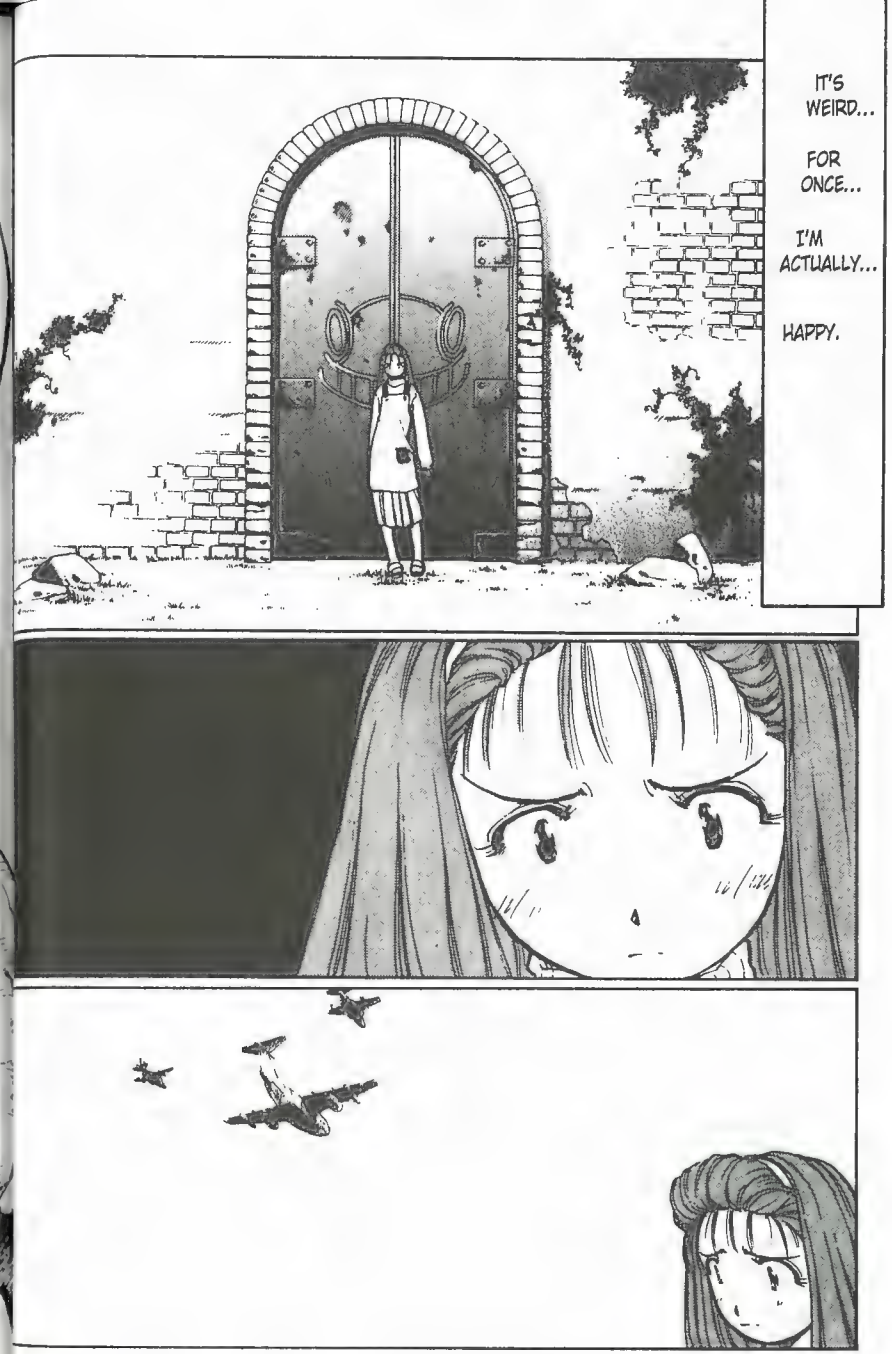
I'M SO SLEEPY...
BORG?
HEY BORG, IT'S MORNING.
OH NO!! MOM! MY BORG IS MISSING!
TOK TOK TOK TOK
LOOK FOR YOUR BORG?
WHEN I WOKE UP, HE WASN'T THERE.
FOR SOME REASON HE WAS SLEEPING BY THE FRONT DOOR.
HE USUALLY SLEEPS BY MY HEAD--
--SO I FREAKED.
I HAD TO LOOK FOR MY BORG.
SORRY.
HUFF.
MO... MORNING.
HUFF.
HUFF.
HUFF.
HUFF.

YOU SEEM TO BE IN A REAL GOOD MOOD.
YOU MUST'VE HAD A GOOD VACATION.
YA...THINK? IS THAT HOW I SEEM?
HEY, DID YOU GO SOMEWHERE OVER WINTER BREAK?
I KEPT CALLING, BUT YOU NEVER ANSWERED. I WAS WORRIED.
MY BORG DOESN'T LOOK SO GOOD.

I SHOULD'VE BEEN IN THE ALIEN PARTY.
AM I THE ONLY ONE IN A GOOD MOOD?

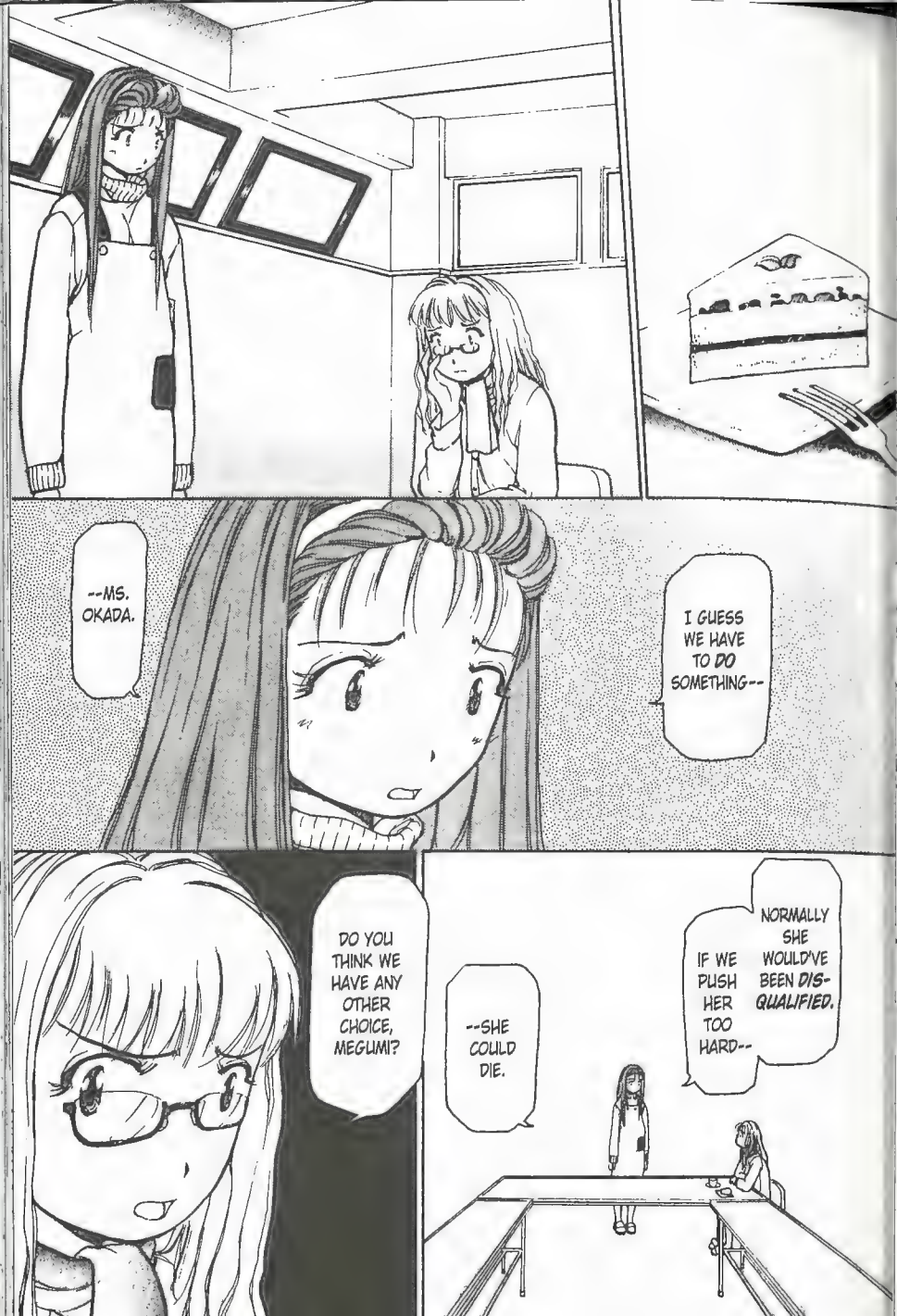
sigh
YOU DON'T LOOK SO GOOD, MIYU.
YOU'RE IN THE ALIEN PARTY, SO YOU CAN GO TO ANY JUNIOR HIGH YOU WANT WITHOUT DOING ANYTHING.
OH YEAH, YOU WOULDN'T KNOW ABOUT THAT.
WHAT DO YOU EXPECT?! I'M THINKIN' ABOUT THE JUNIOR HIGH ENTRANCE EXAM.

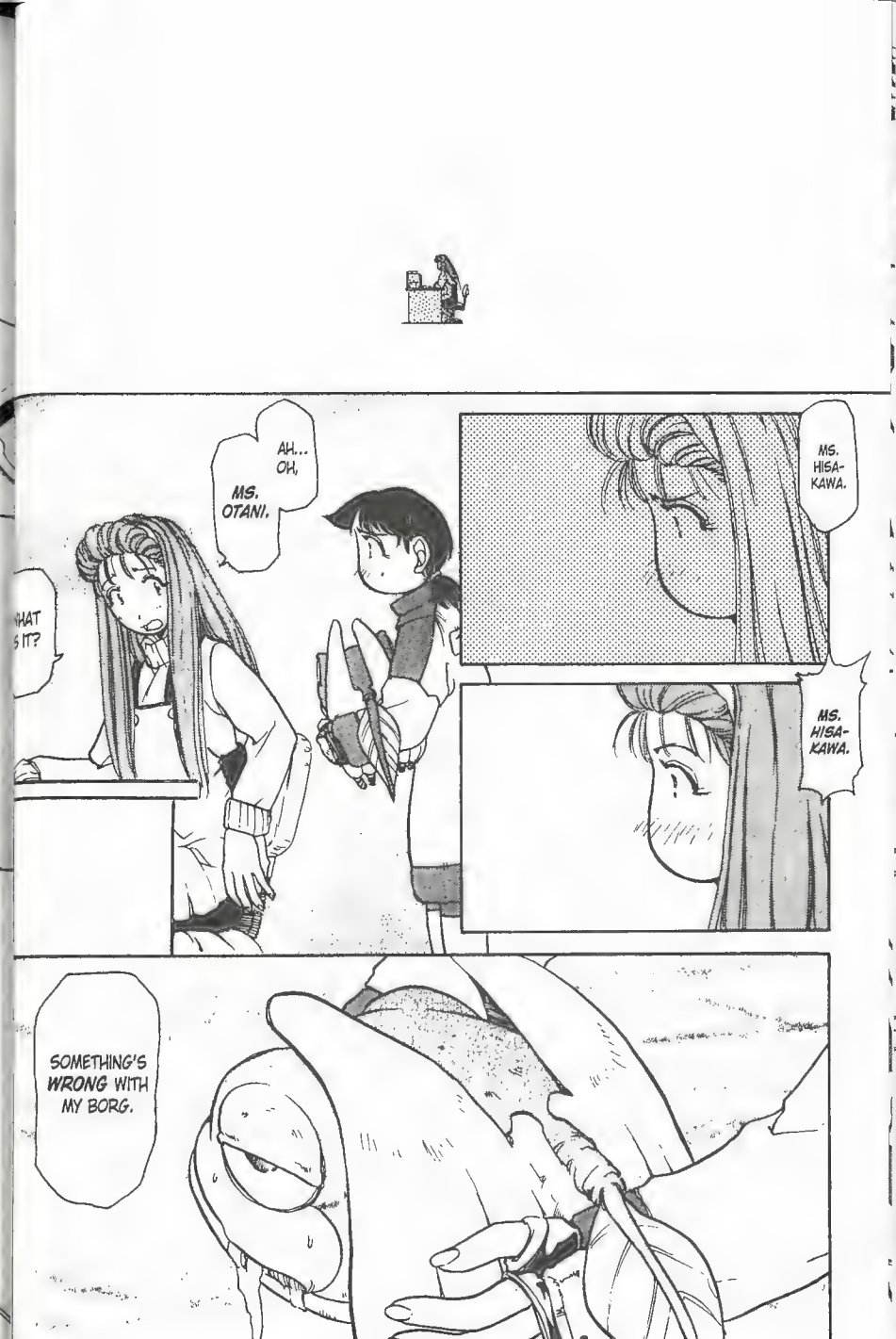

BORG!
B... BORG! SNAP OUT OF IT! HE'S GONNA EAT US!
BORG!!

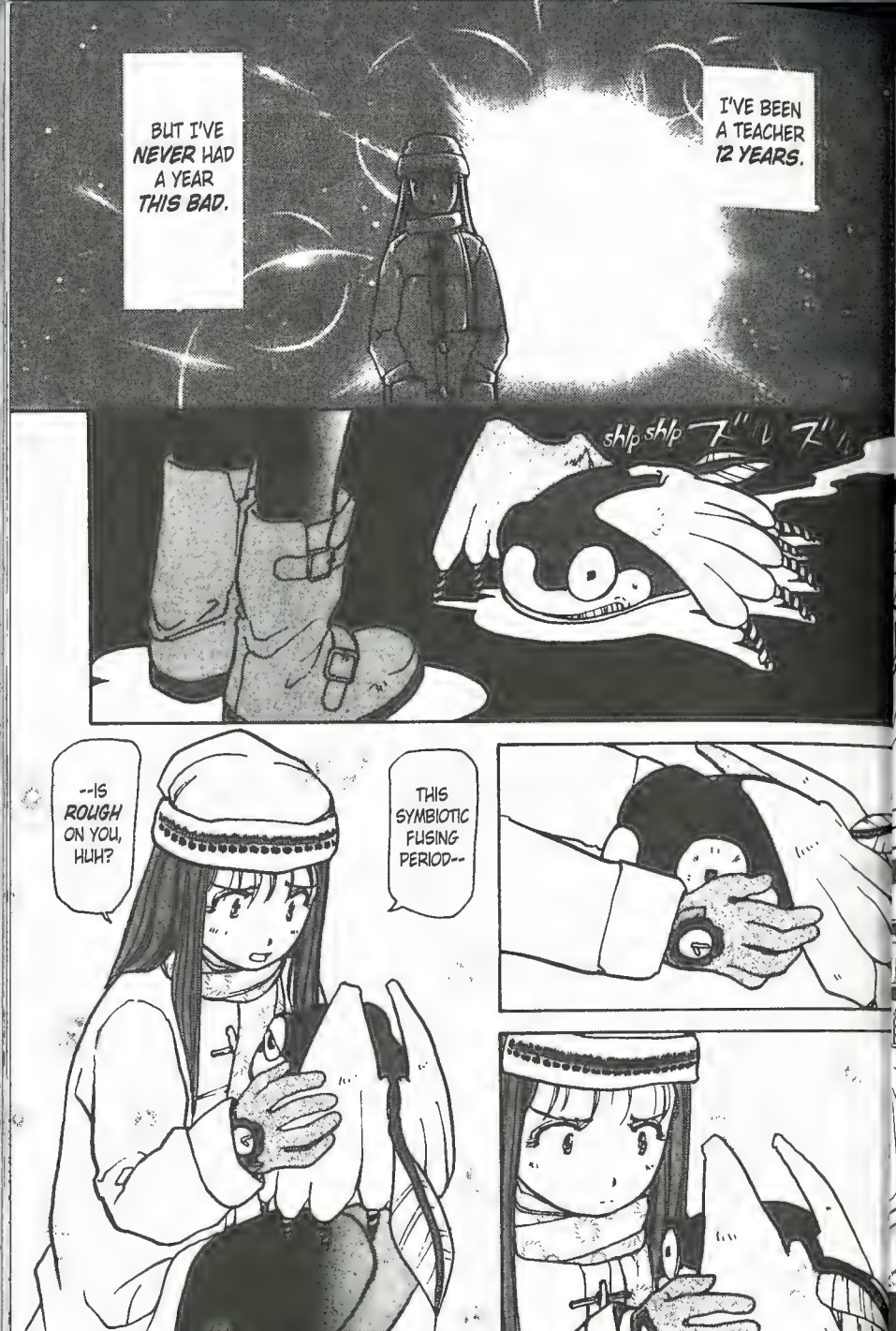

IT'S WEIRD...
FOR ONCE...
I'M ACTUALLY...
HAPPY.

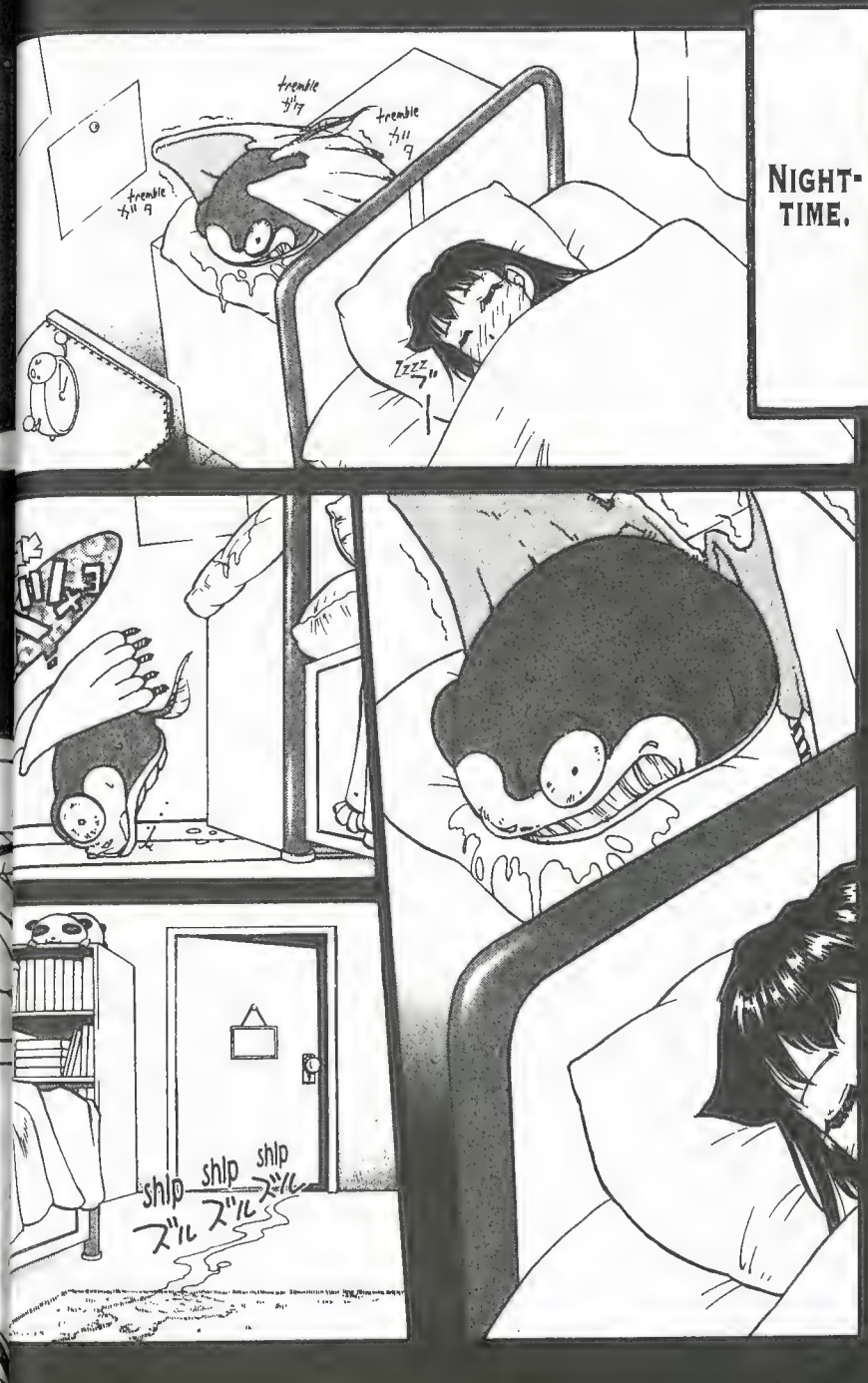
WHAP
THAP
ARE YOU OKAY?
KASUMI, COOL IT. YOU'RE GONNA KILL HIM.
grin.

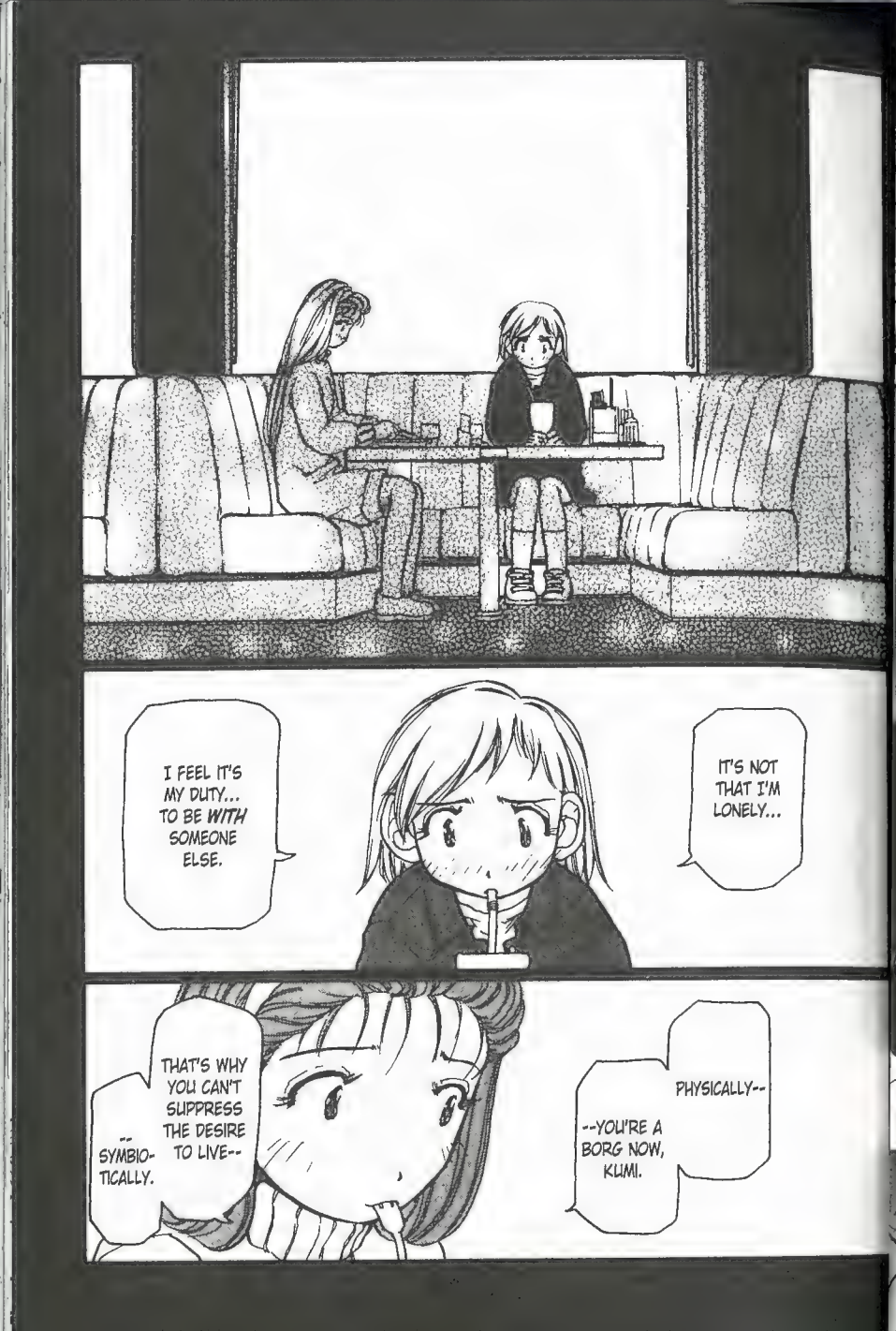
VOOP
ACK!!


--MS. OKADA.
I GUESS WE HAVE TO *DO* SOMETHING--
DO YOU THINK WE HAVE ANY OTHER CHOICE, MEGUMI?
--SHE COULD DIE.
IF WE PUSH HER TOO HARD--
NORMALLY SHE WOULD'VE BEEN *DISQUALIFIED.*

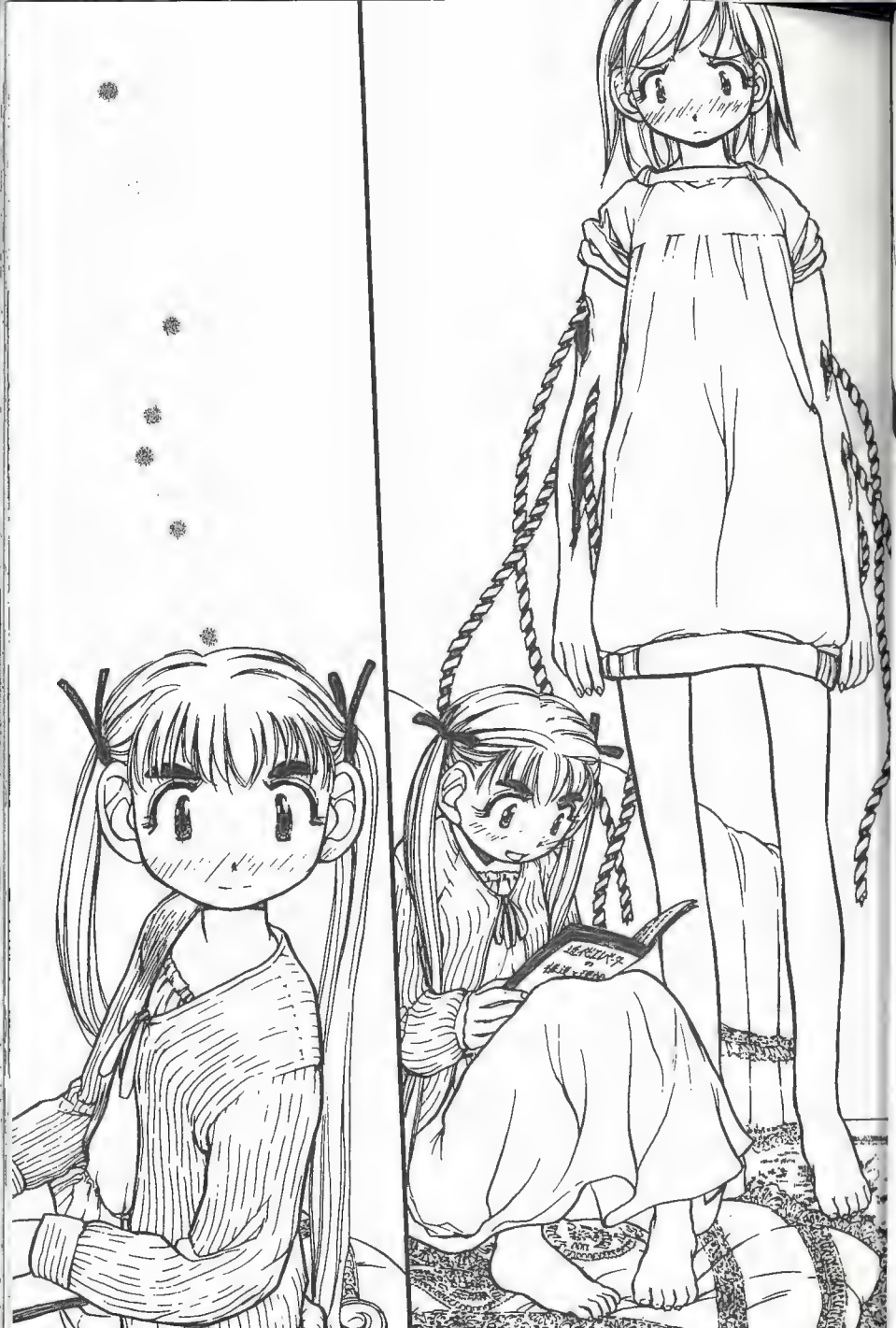

AH... OH, *MS. OTANI.*
MS. HISAKAWA.
MS. HISAKAWA.
SOMETHING'S *WRONG* WITH MY BORG.


BUT I'VE NEVER HAD A YEAR THIS BAD.
I'VE BEEN A TEACHER 12 YEARS.
shlp shlp ズル ズル
--IS ROUGH ON YOU, HUH?
THIS SYMBIOTIC FUSING PERIOD--

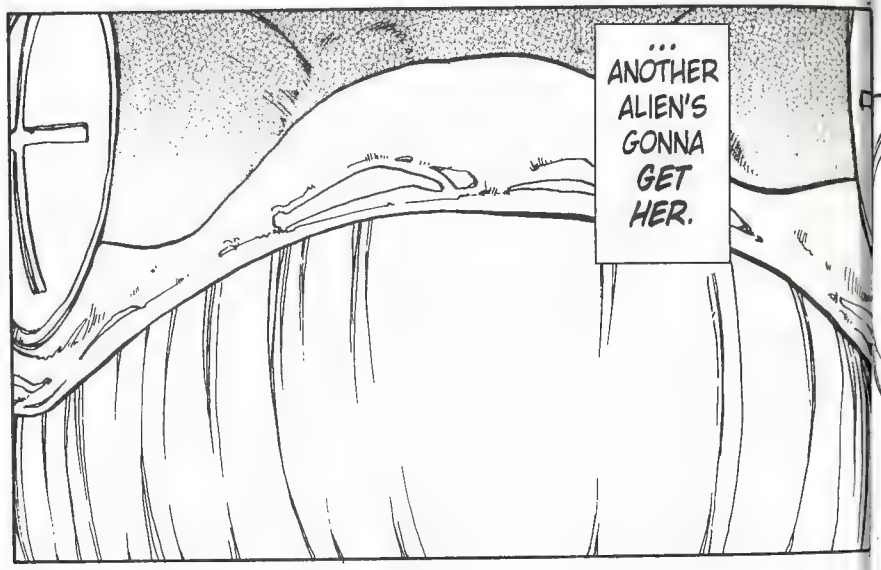

NIGHT-TIME.
tremble
tremble
tremble
Zzzz
shlp shlp shlp
ズル ズル ズル


I FEEL IT'S MY DUTY... TO BE *WITH* SOMEONE ELSE.
IT'S NOT THAT I'M LONELY...
THAT'S WHY YOU CAN'T SUPPRESS THE DESIRE TO LIVE--
--SYMBIO-TICALLY.
PHYSICALLY--
--YOU'RE A BORG NOW, KUMI.

I'M GIVING YOU THE POWER TO FUSE.
GRAB
BBVVVVV
FORGIVE ME, YURI.
yank

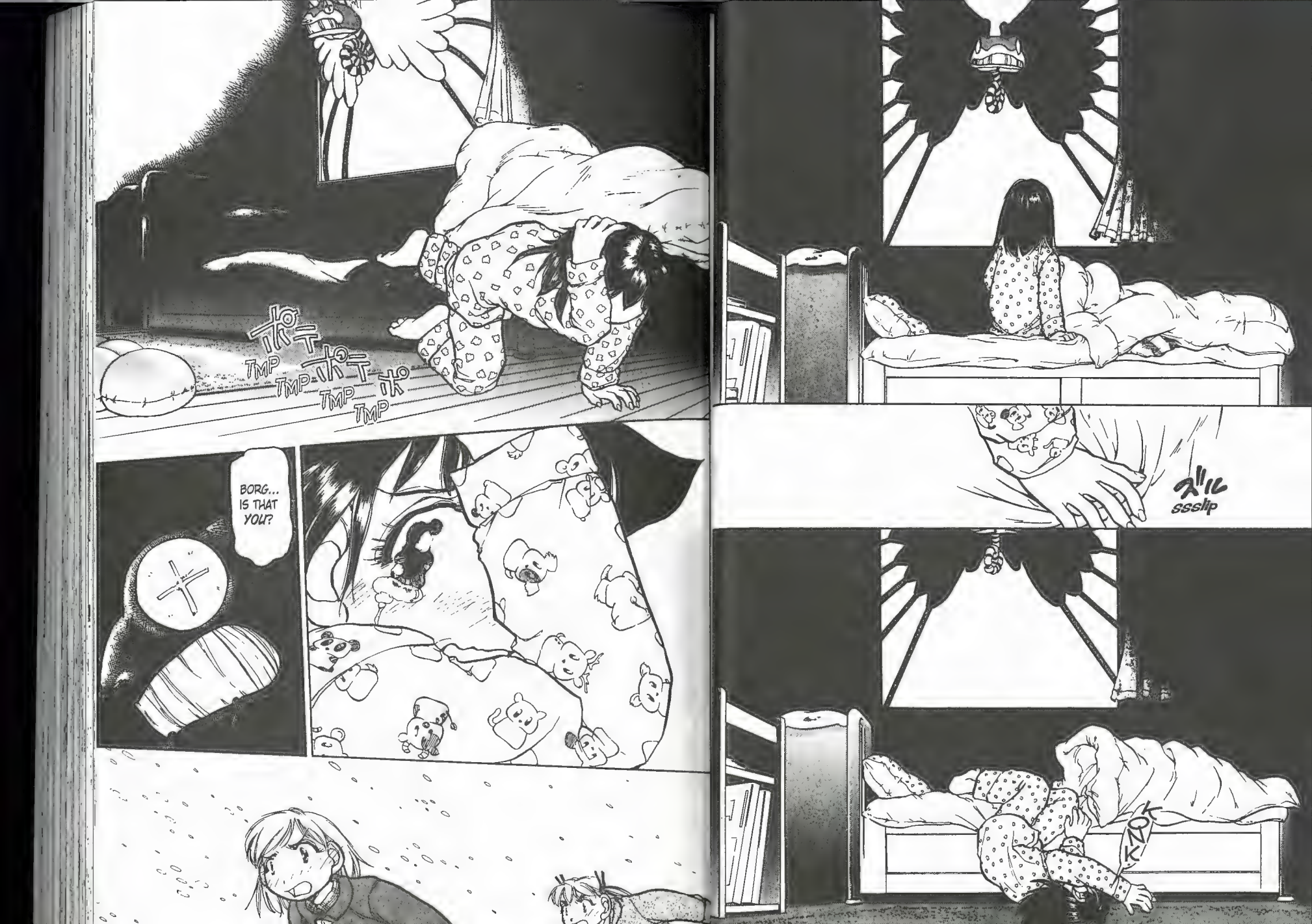


OPERATION 22:
YOU CAN'T STOP ME!


...
ANOTHER ALIEN'S GONNA GET HER.

SO YOU BETTER HURRY UP AND ADMIT IT...OR ELSE...
I KNOW IT'S *YURI* YOU REALLY WANT TO BE WITH.
IT'S NOT ME, IT'S *YURI* YOU WANT.

HUH?
NNGH...
CLICK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BORG... IS THAT YOU?
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ssslip
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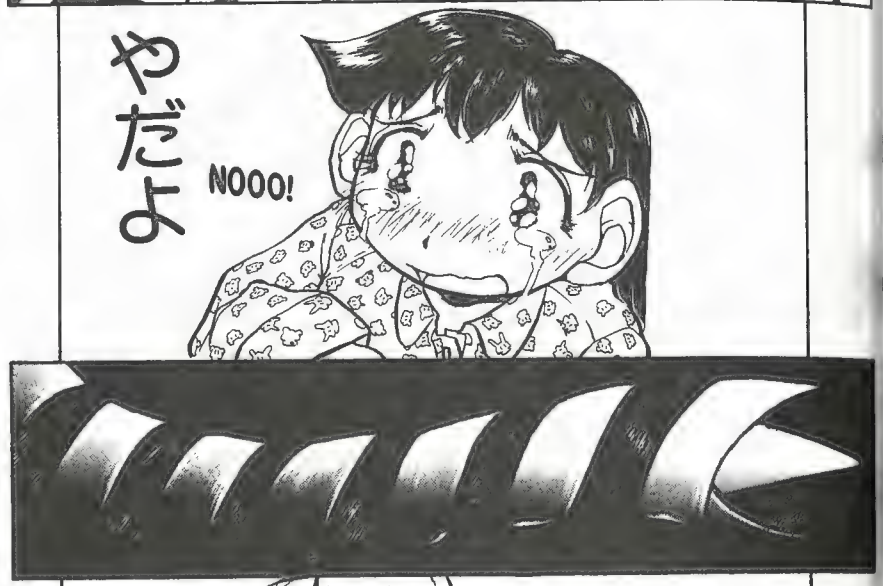
LET'S FUSE INTO ONE.
WE WILL BE--
TOGETHER... ALWAYS.
FOREVER.
TOGETHER FOREVER.
NOOO...
TOGETHER.

SHLUP


やだよ
NOOO!

NOOOO!
やだよ

I DON'T WANT TO LOOK AT YOU.
I'VE PUT UP WITH THIS FOR A YEAR.
NOOOO WAY...
TOGETHER FOREVER... NO WAAAAY!
OR TOUCH YOU.
OR TALK TO YOU.
OR GET LICKED BY YOU.
LEAVE ME... ALONE!

YOU STAY OUT OF THIS.
LEAVE YURI ALONE!
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buzz
buzz
HA

AAAAH!
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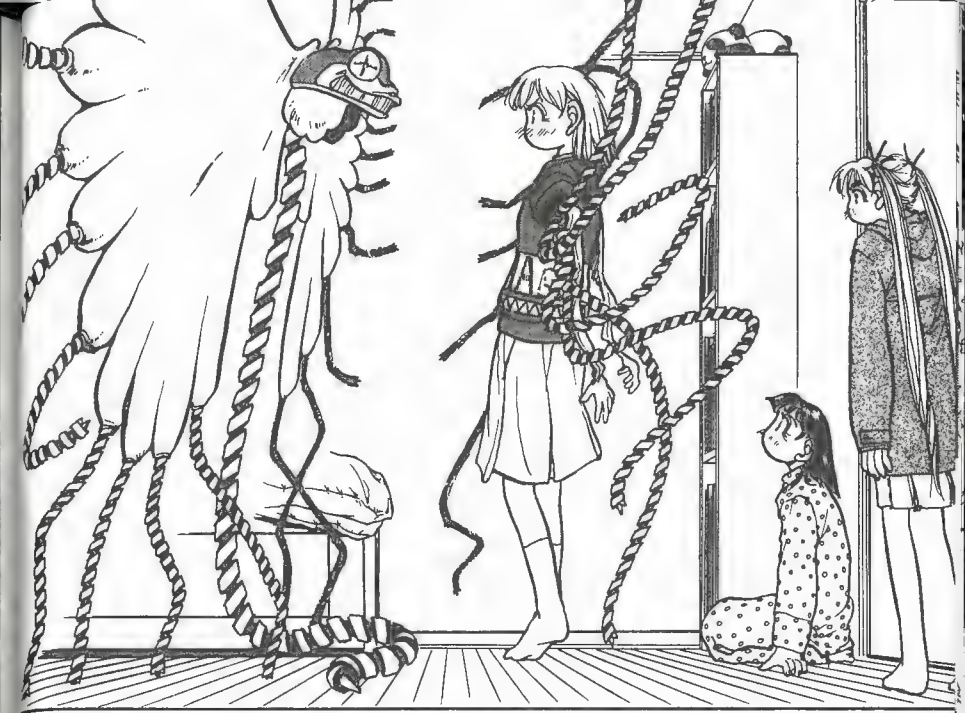
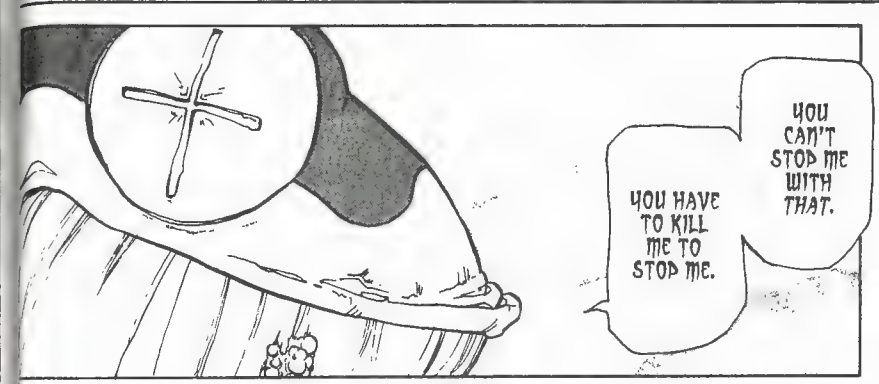
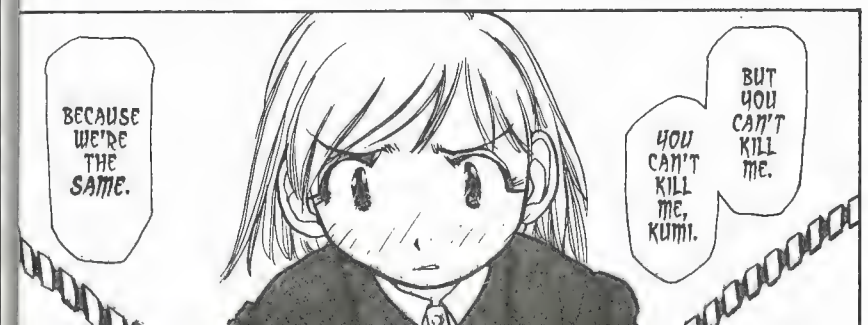
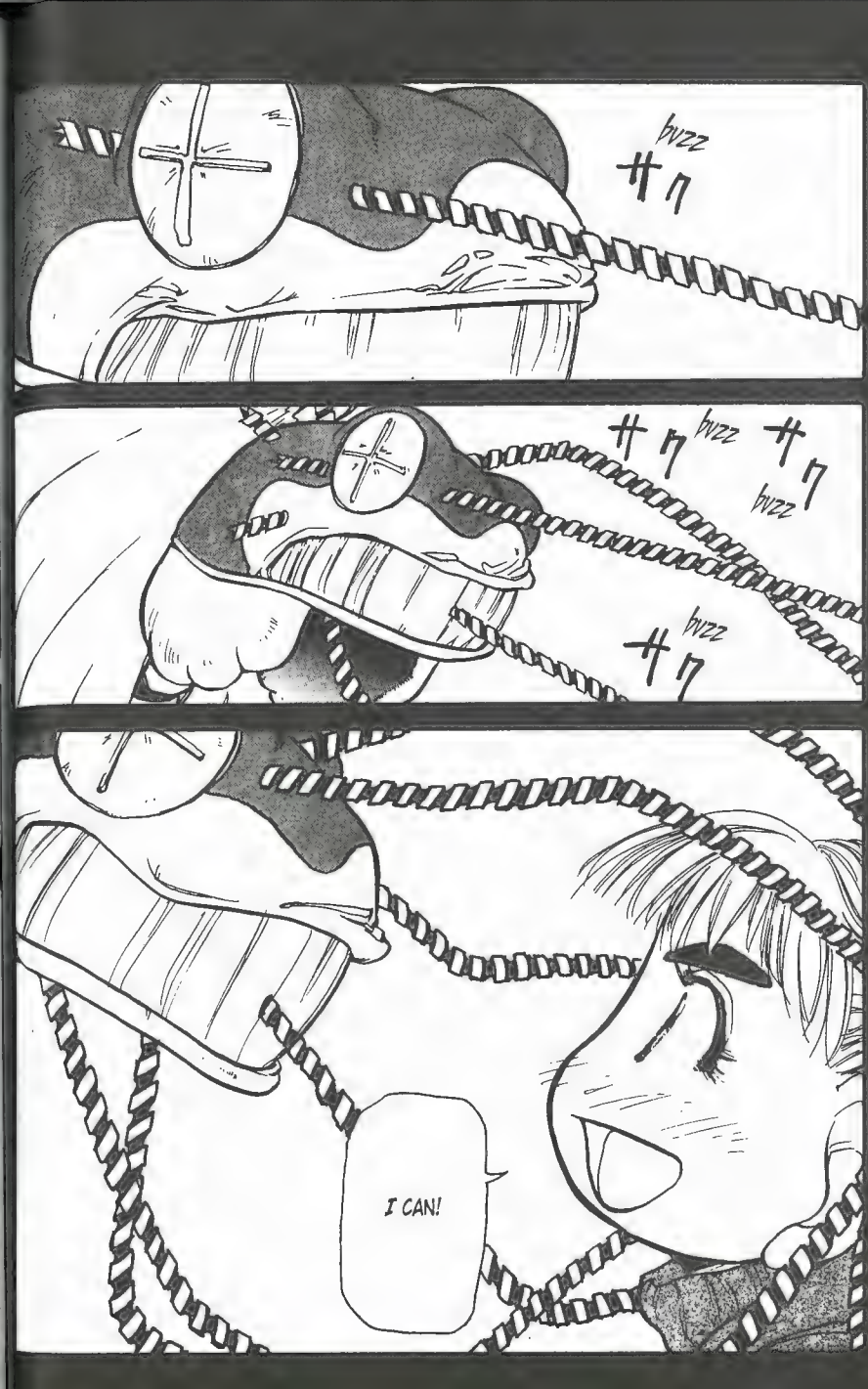



YOU CAN'T STOP ME WITH THAT.
YOU HAVE TO KILL ME TO STOP ME.


BECAUSE WE'RE THE SAME.
YOU CAN'T KILL ME, KUMI.
BUT YOU CAN'T KILL ME.

I'M A YELLOW KNIFE.
KASUMI...
KUMI...
BORG?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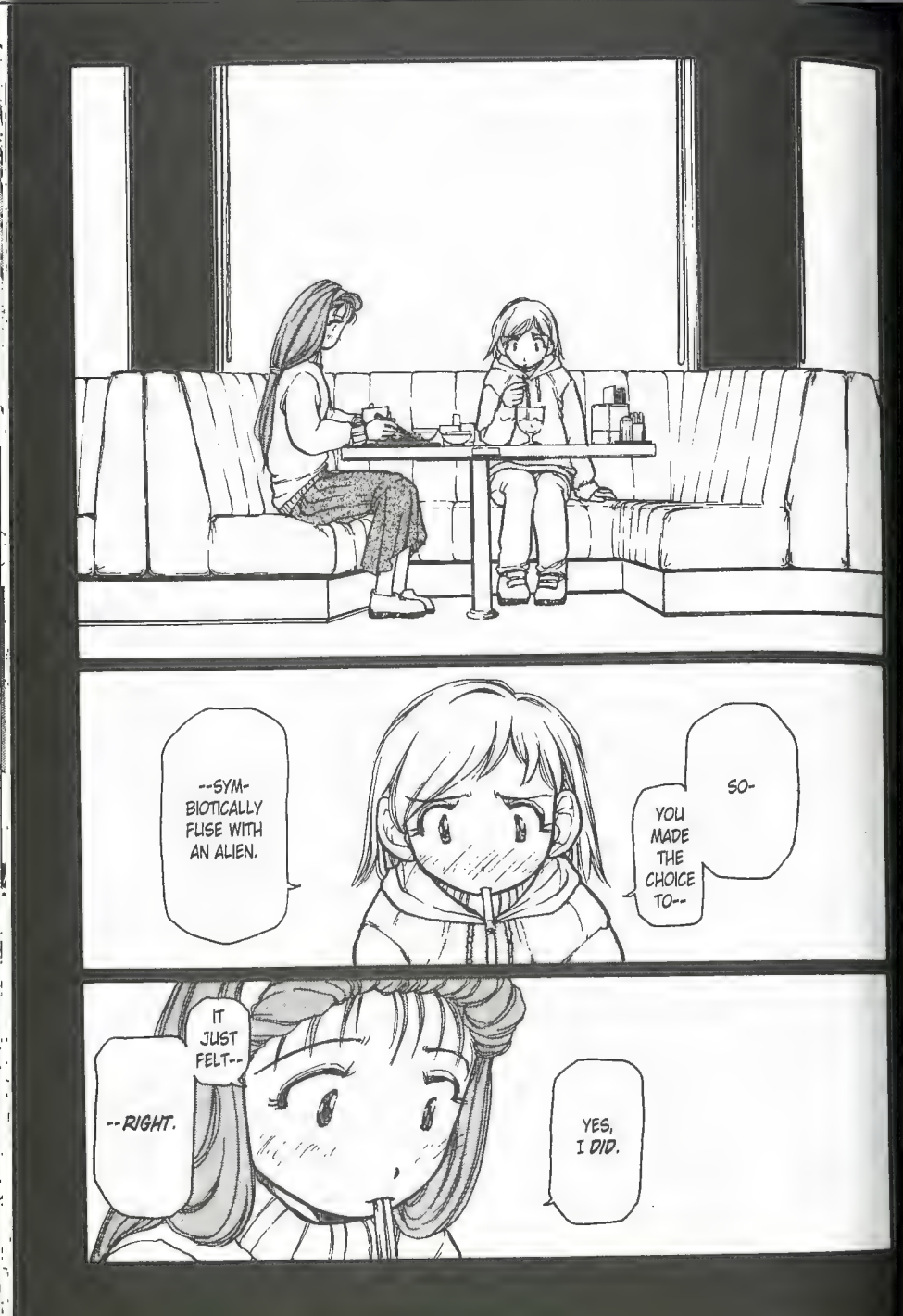
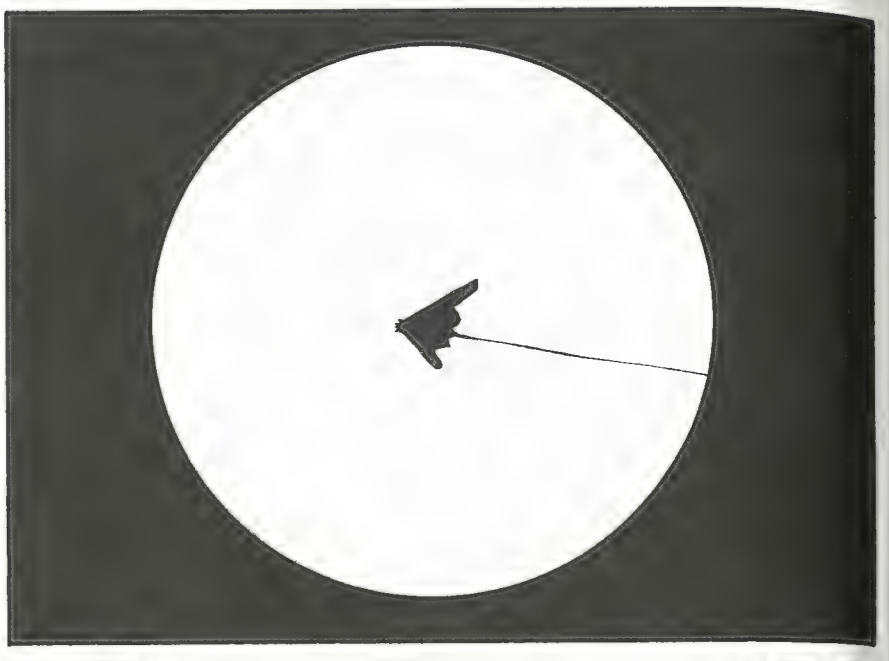
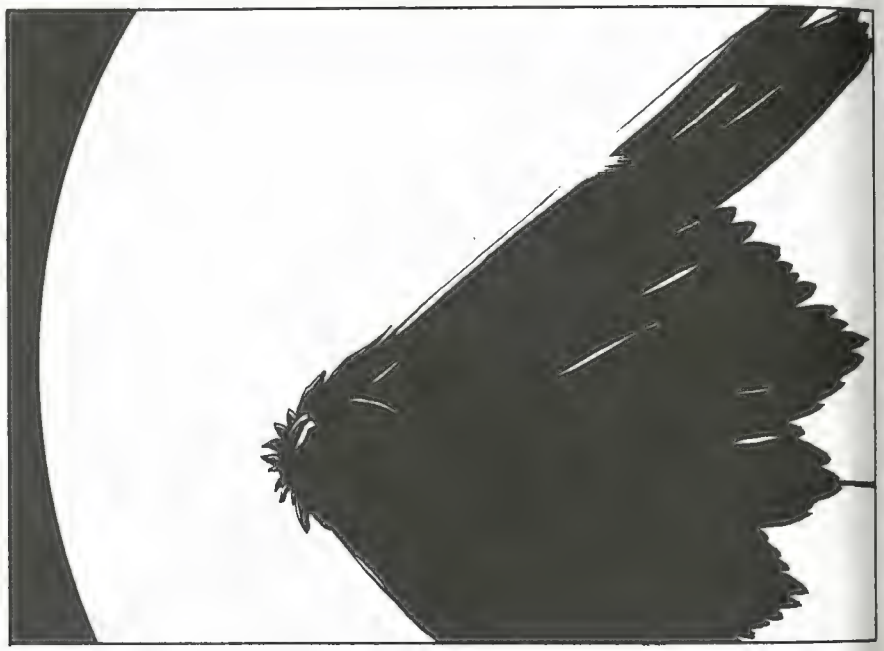
buzz
buzz
buzz
I CAN!

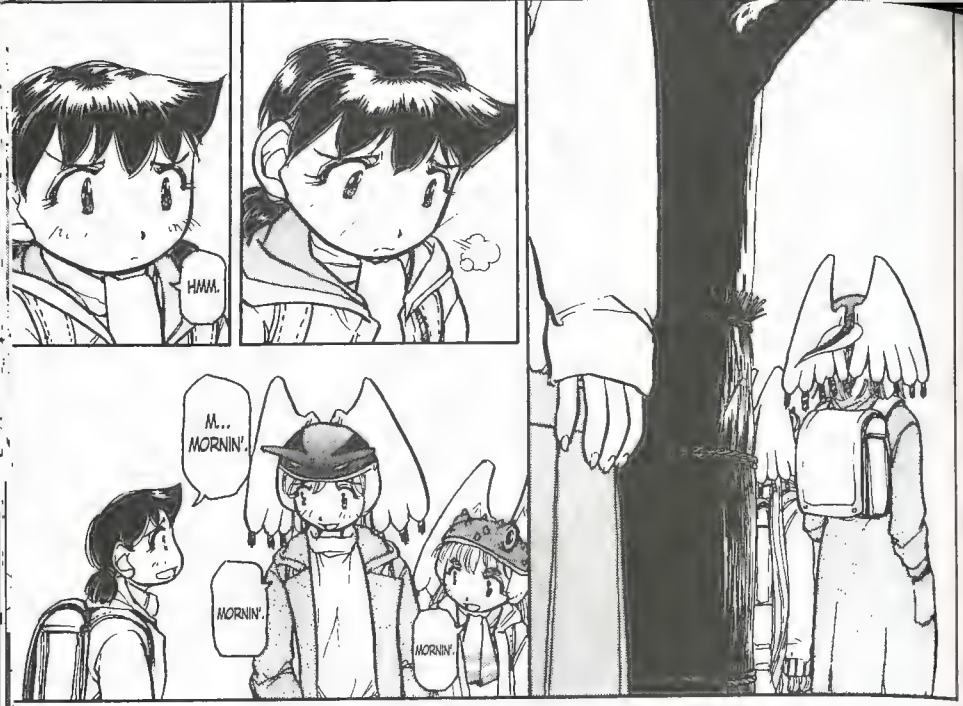

--SYM-BIOTICALLY FUSE WITH AN ALIEN.
SO- YOU MADE THE CHOICE TO--
IT JUST FELT-- --RIGHT.
YES, I DID.

WHA...
WHAT'S HAPPENED TO YOU GUYS?





OPERATION 23:
YURI THE FOOL

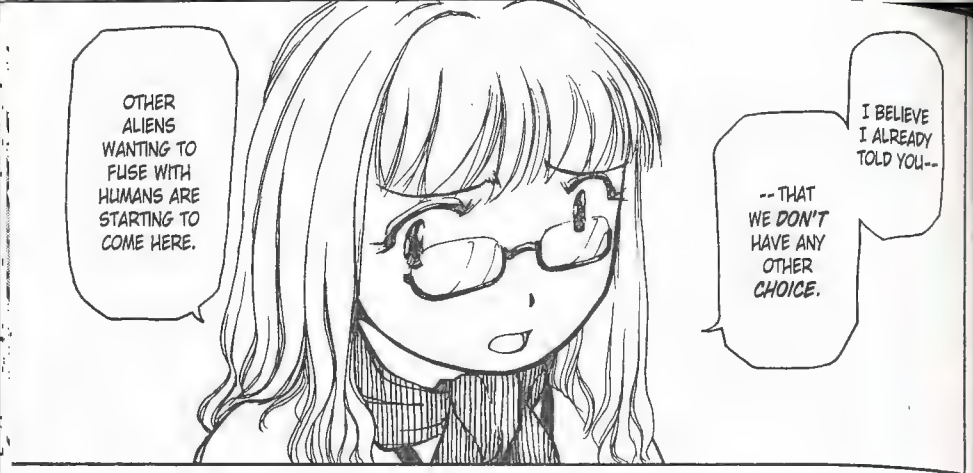

HMM.
M... MORNIN'.
MORNIN'.
MORNIN'.

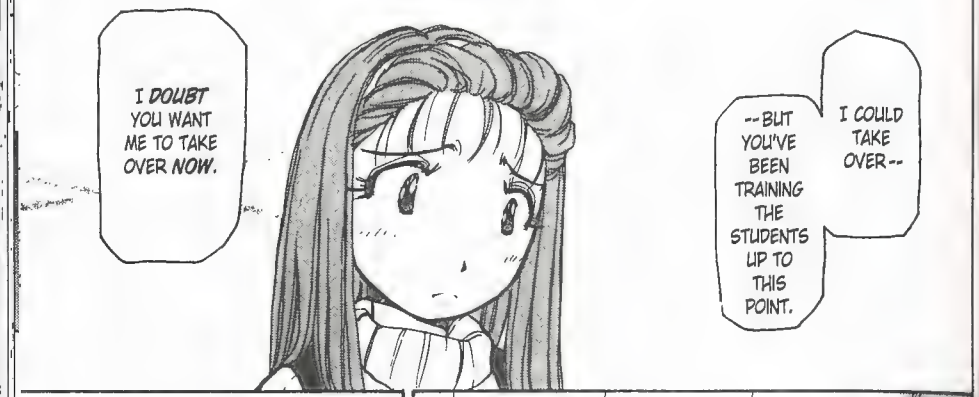
BYE, MOM.

YURI...
ARE YOU SURE YOU'RE OKAY?

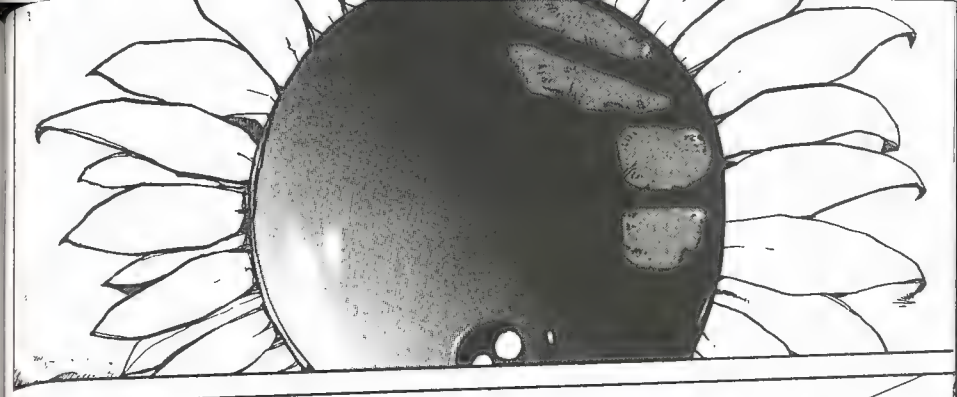
NO.
I'D JUST GET BORED AT HOME ALL ALONE.
--TO GIVE YOU 3RD SEMESTER OFF.
MAYBE I SHOULD ASK MS. HISAKAWA--

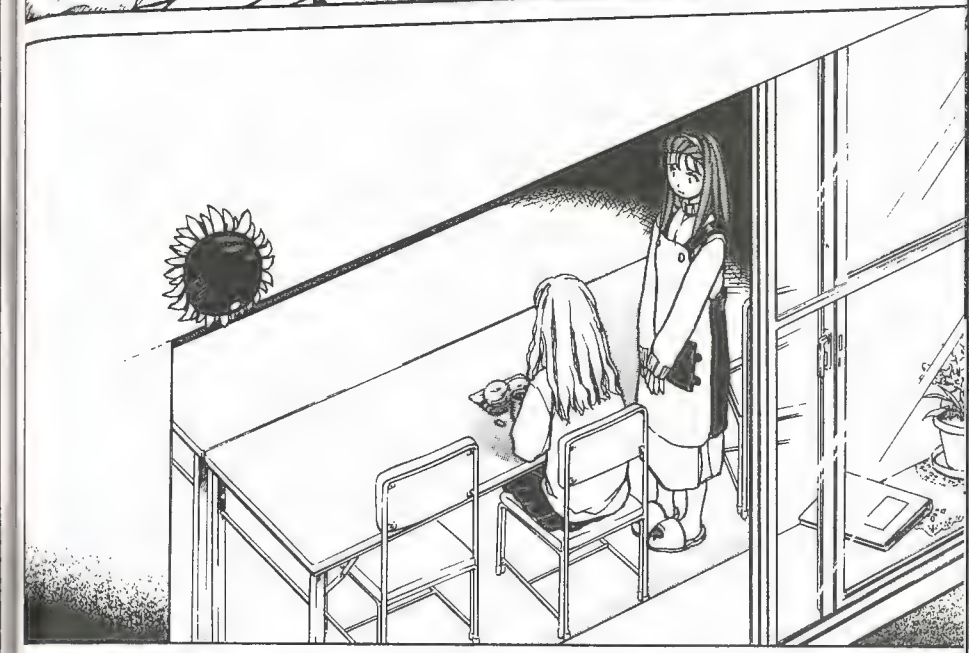
SO HAVE YOU THOUGHT ABOUT MOVING IN WITH US, YURI?
UHH... UHH... I DIDN'T ASK MY MOM YET.
OUCH.
DON'T BE SCARED.
HEH HEH..


OTHER ALIENS WANTING TO FUSE WITH HUMANS ARE STARTING TO COME HERE.
I BELIEVE I ALREADY TOLD YOU--
--THAT WE *DON'T* HAVE ANY OTHER *CHOICE*.


I *DOUBT* YOU WANT ME TO TAKE OVER *NOW*.
--BUT YOU'VE BEEN TRAINING THE STUDENTS UP TO THIS POINT.
I COULD TAKE OVER--

YES...
OUR MORTAL ENEMY...
SSK SSK
SUN-FLOWER!?
--ACCORDING TO THIS REPORT, THE *SUNFLOWER* CLAN HAS FINALLY ARRIVED.
AND--





--BUT I DON'T THINK I CAN DO THAT.
I'M SORRY--

PVZ.
--THIS IS WHAT YURI'S AFRAID OF.
OH YEAH--
FWOO FWOO
IT'S FINE. I DON'T FEEL PAIN.
DOESN'T THAT HURT?
YOU NEVER CHANGE.
THE ENTRANCE EXAM IS COMING.
HEY, YOU BETTER HIT THE BOOKS.

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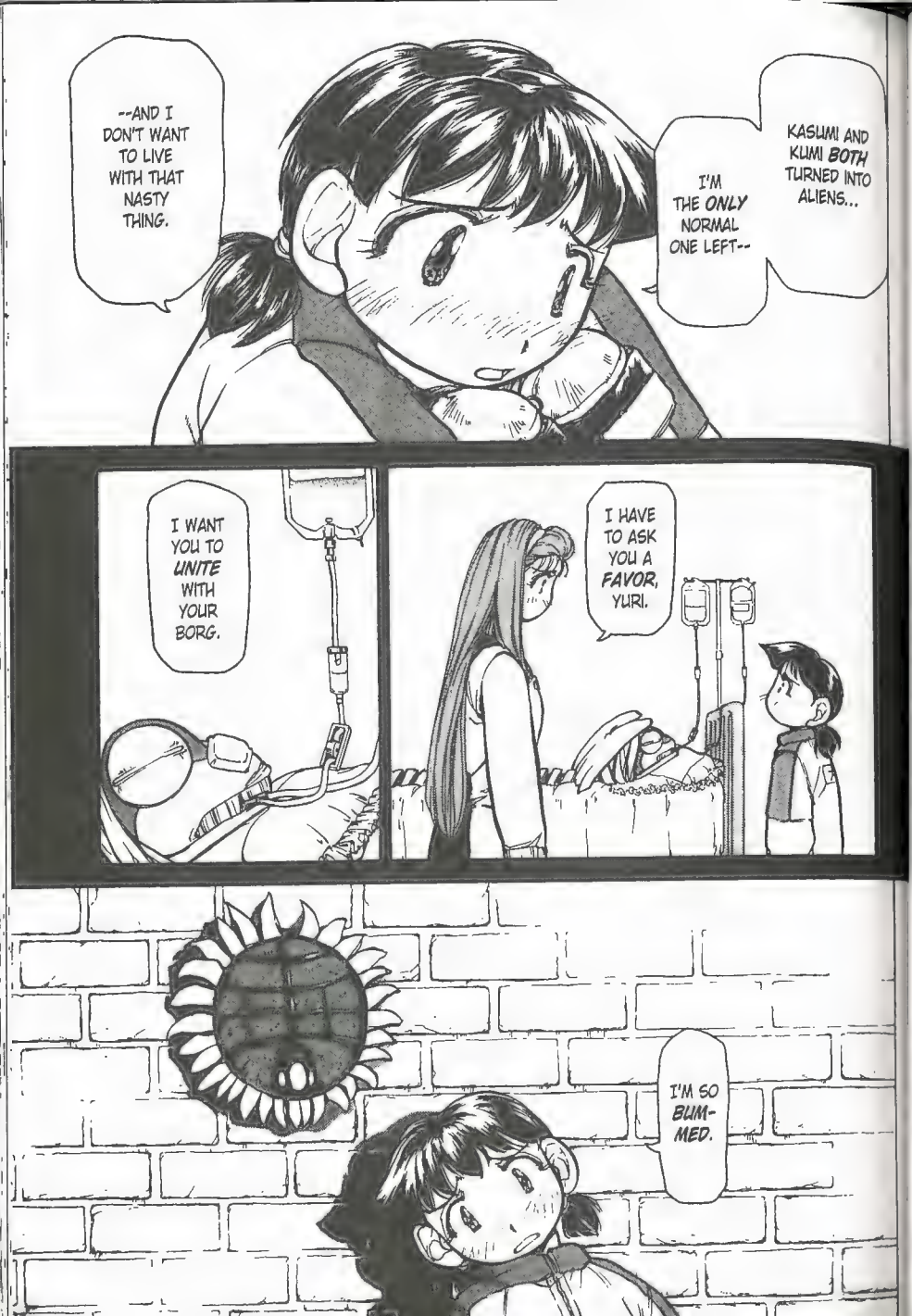
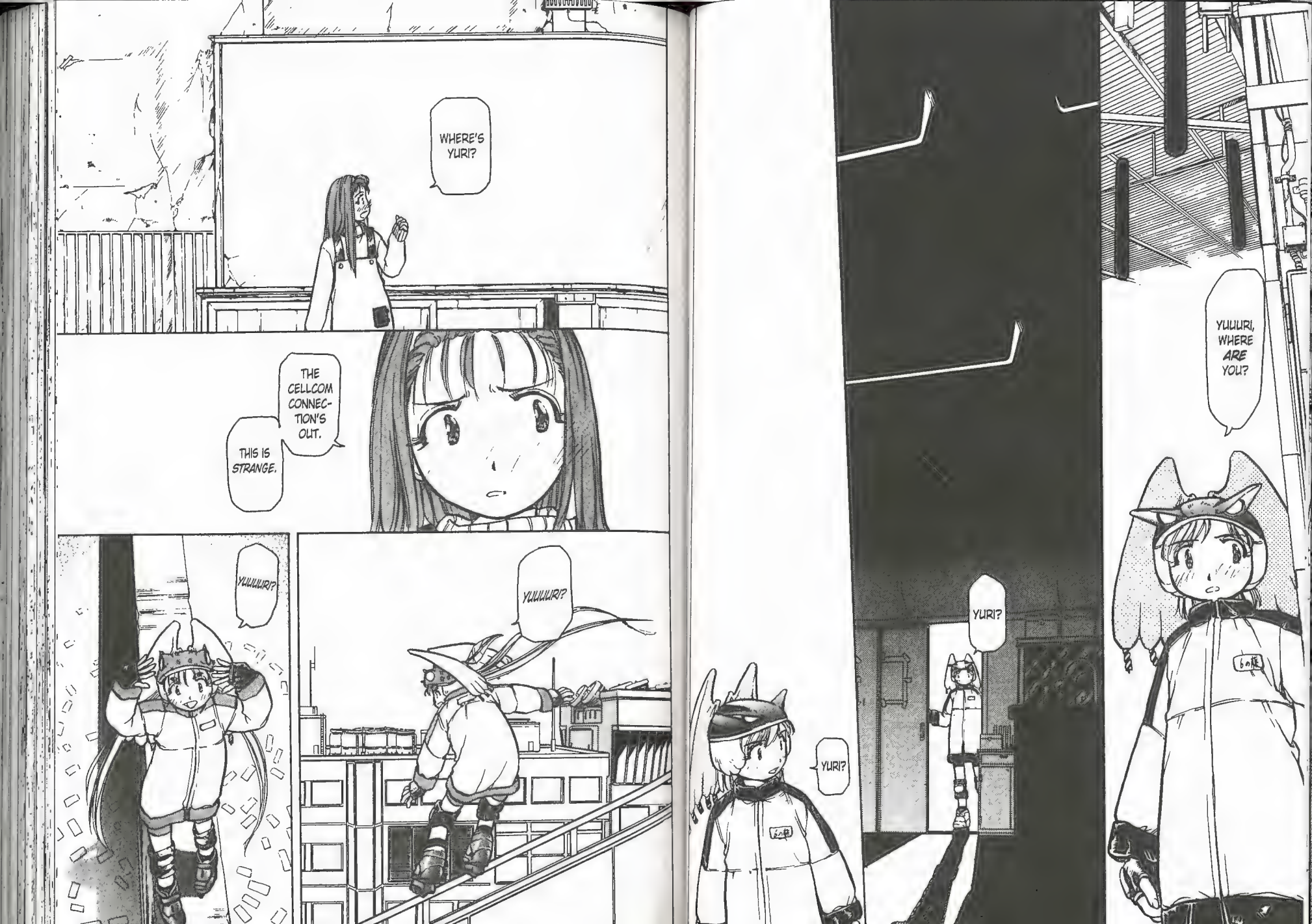
ssk. ssk.
SSK
ssk

HERE.
EAT.
SLURP
SLURP
SLURP

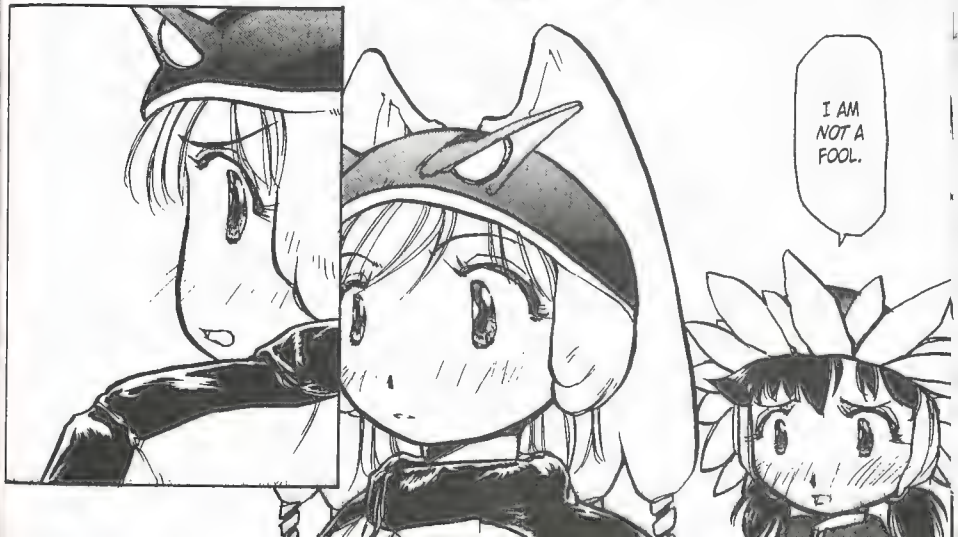

--AND I DON'T WANT TO LIVE WITH THAT NASTY THING.
I'M THE ONLY NORMAL ONE LEFT--
KASUMI AND KUMI BOTH TURNED INTO ALIENS...
I WANT YOU TO UNITE WITH YOUR BORG.
I HAVE TO ASK YOU A FAVOR, YURI.
I'M SO BUM-MED.

PSHHH
pshh
bLOP


WHERE'S YURI?
THE CELLCOM CONNEC-TION'S OUT.
THIS IS STRANGE.
YUUUURI?
YUUUURI?
YURI?
YURI?
YUUUURI, WHERE ARE YOU?

I'M NOT A FOOL.
6の椅

YURI'S A FOOL.
I'VE TOLD HER SO MANY TIMES TO STAY NEAR ME.


I AM NOT A FOOL.

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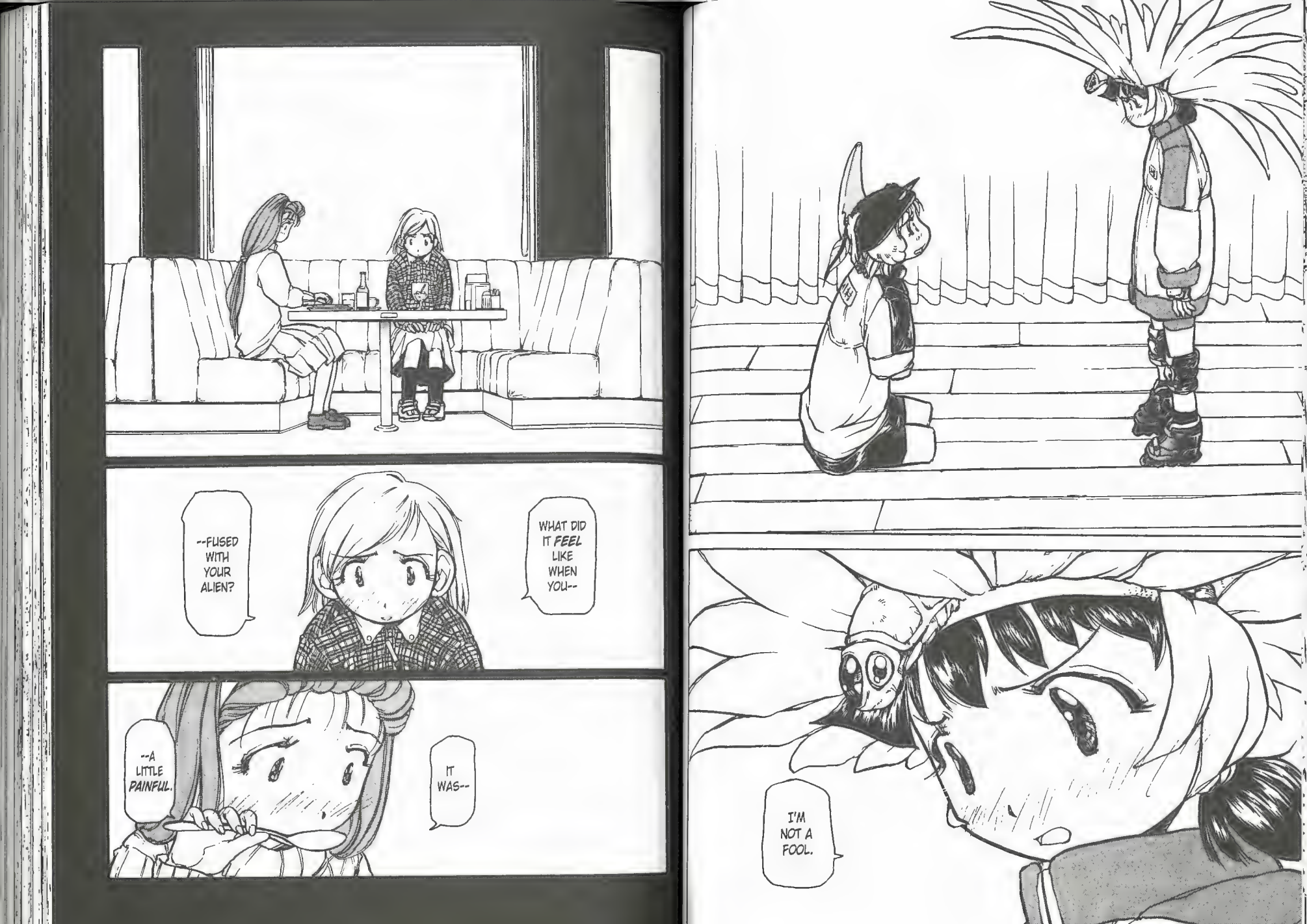
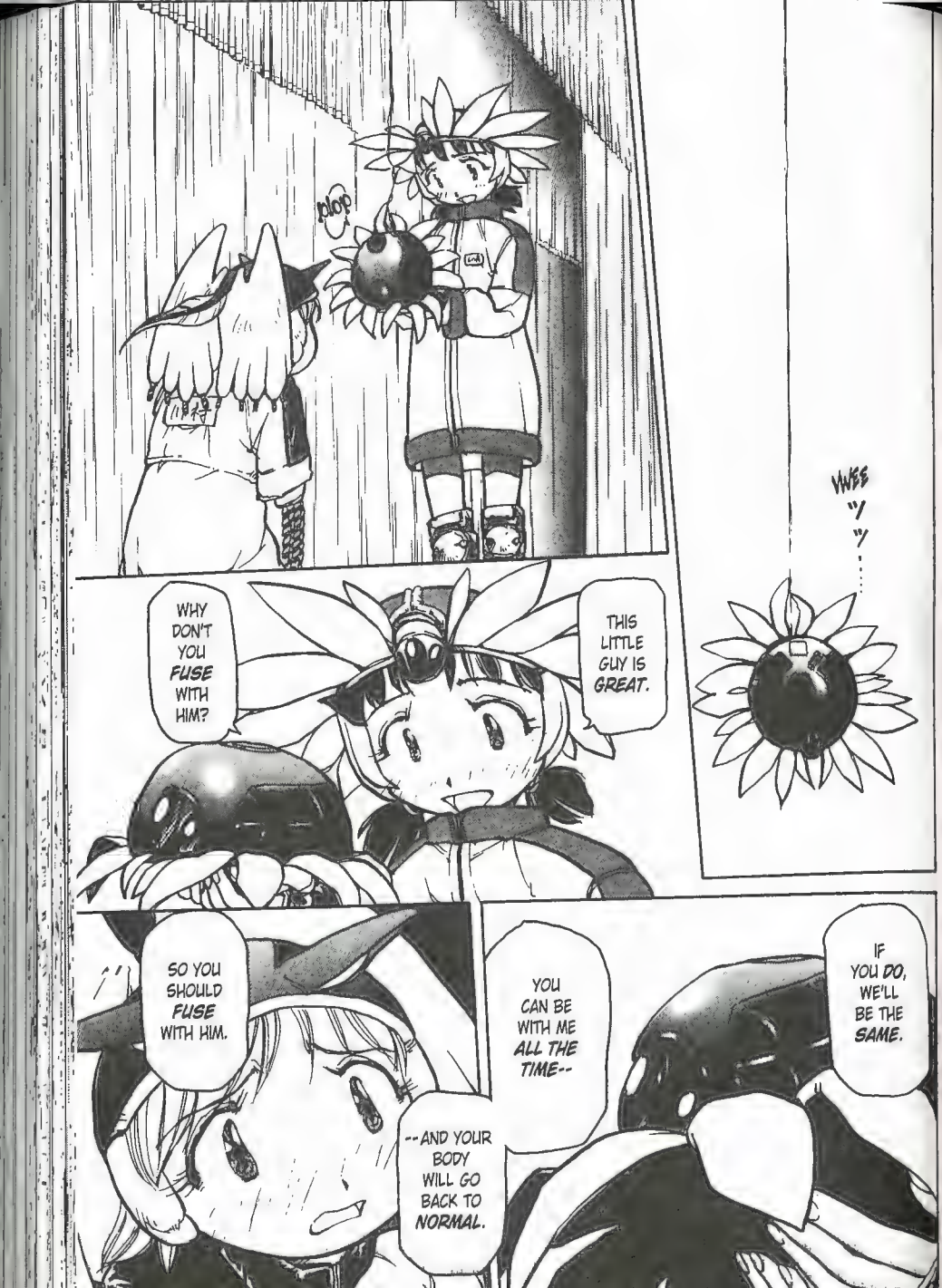
FWP
FWP


--FUSED WITH YOUR ALIEN?
WHAT DID IT *FEEL* LIKE WHEN YOU--
--A LITTLE *PAINFUL*.
IT WAS--
I'M NOT A FOOL.

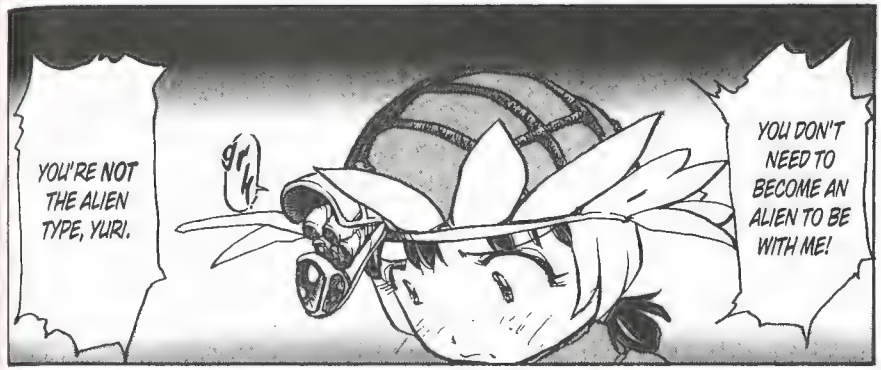
OPERATION 24:
TRY THIS LITTLE GUY


plop
WHY DON'T YOU FUSE WITH HIM?
THIS LITTLE GUY IS GREAT.
WEEE
SO YOU SHOULD FUSE WITH HIM.
--AND YOUR BODY WILL GO BACK TO NORMAL.
YOU CAN BE WITH ME ALL THE TIME--
IF YOU DO, WE'LL BE THE SAME.

--I'M HERE TO SAVE YOU, KUMI.
THE TRUTH IS--
I'M NOT A FOOL.

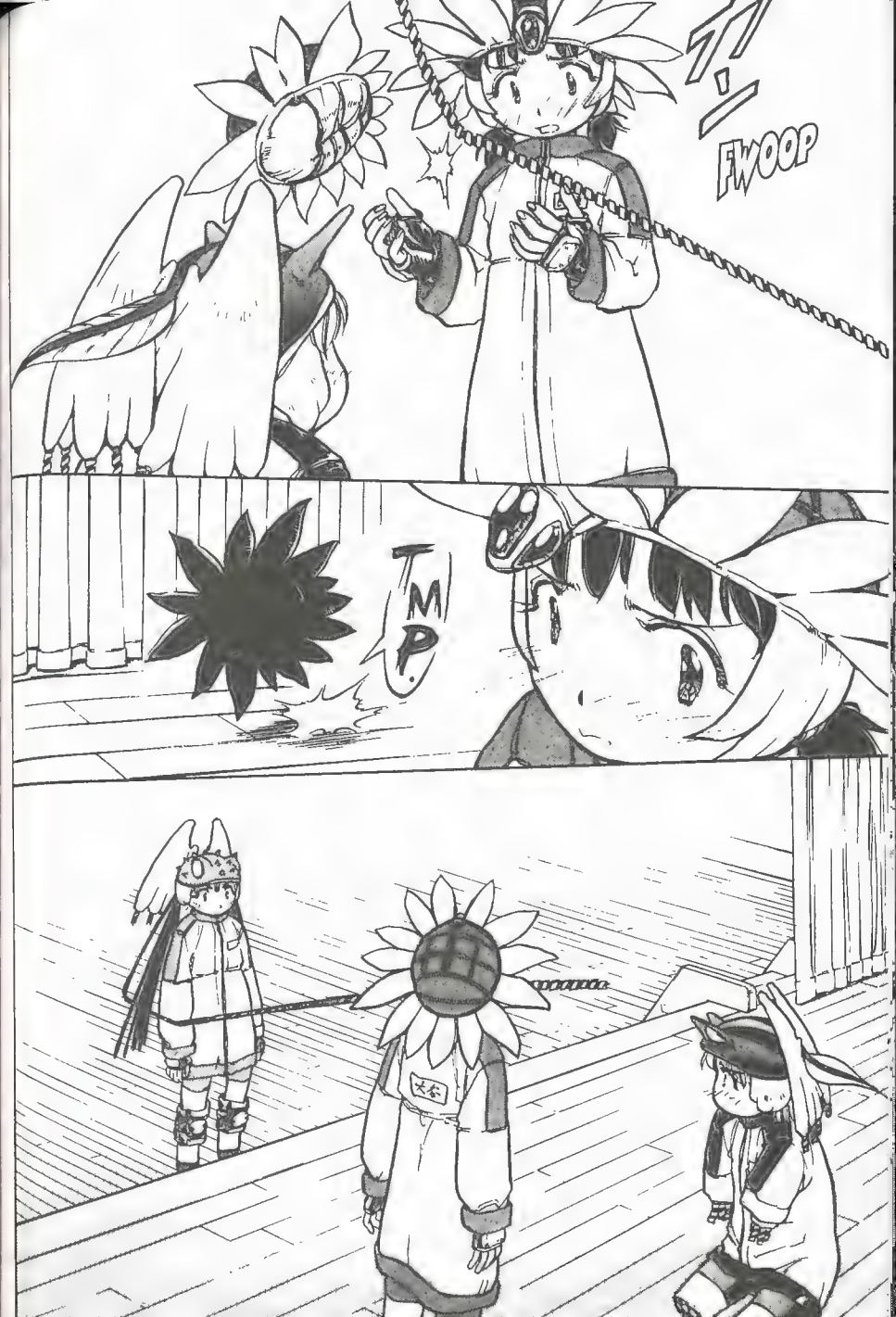
YOU'RE TRYING TO PUSH ME AWAY, AREN'T YOU?
SNAP!
YOU'RE JUST PICKING ON ME.
I WON'T LET YOU DO IT.

JUST STOP!
STOP!

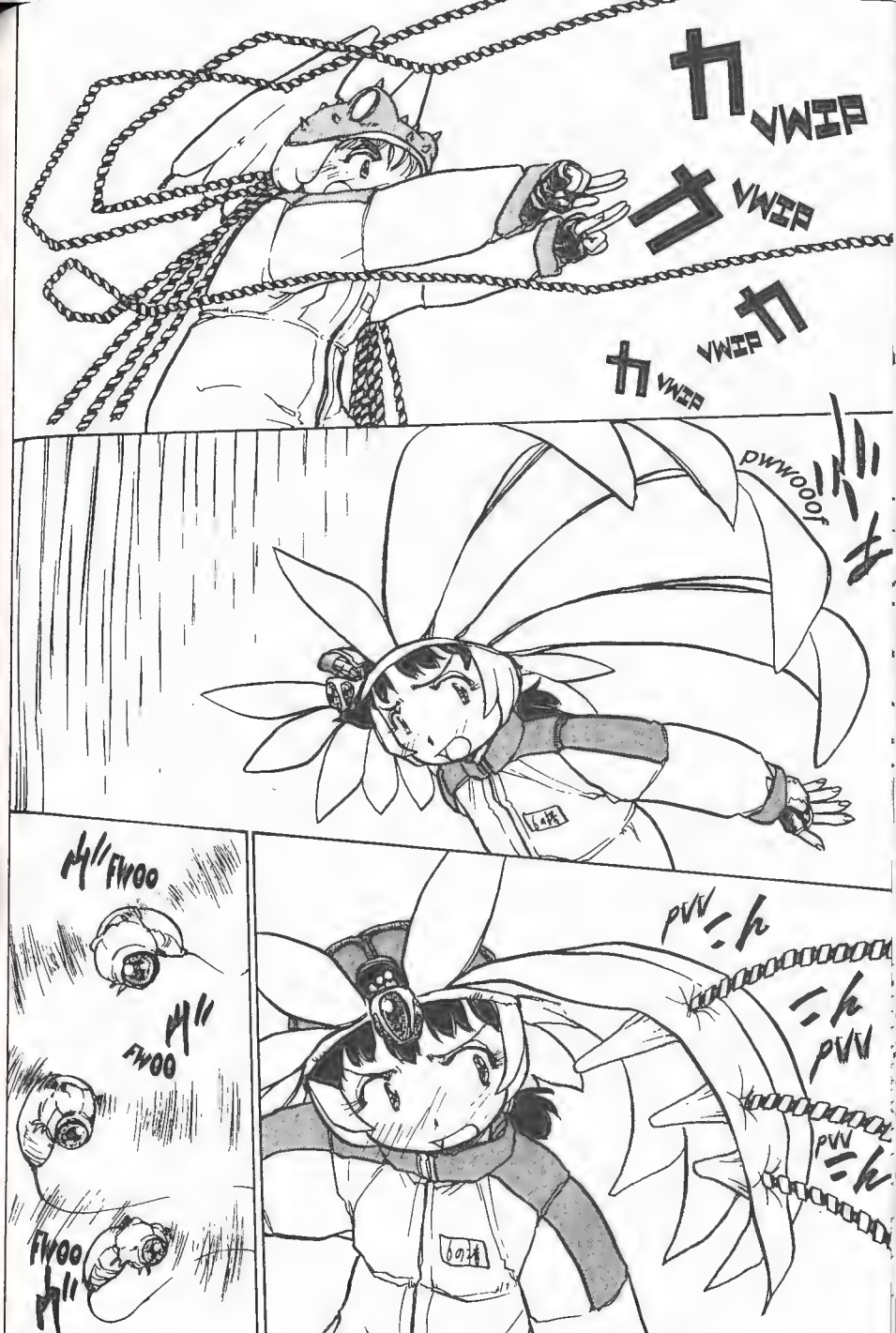

YOU'RE NOT THE ALIEN TYPE, YURI.
grr
YOU DON'T NEED TO BECOME AN ALIEN TO BE WITH ME!

SNAP
Fuwip

Fwww
YELLOW KNIFE.
DON'T YOU DARE TOUCH THEM.


FWOOP
TMP.

SNAP!
THUD
ゴーッ
ポッ
shoop
BORG WEAPONS DON'T WORK ON ME.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VWIP
VWIP
VWIP
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FWOO
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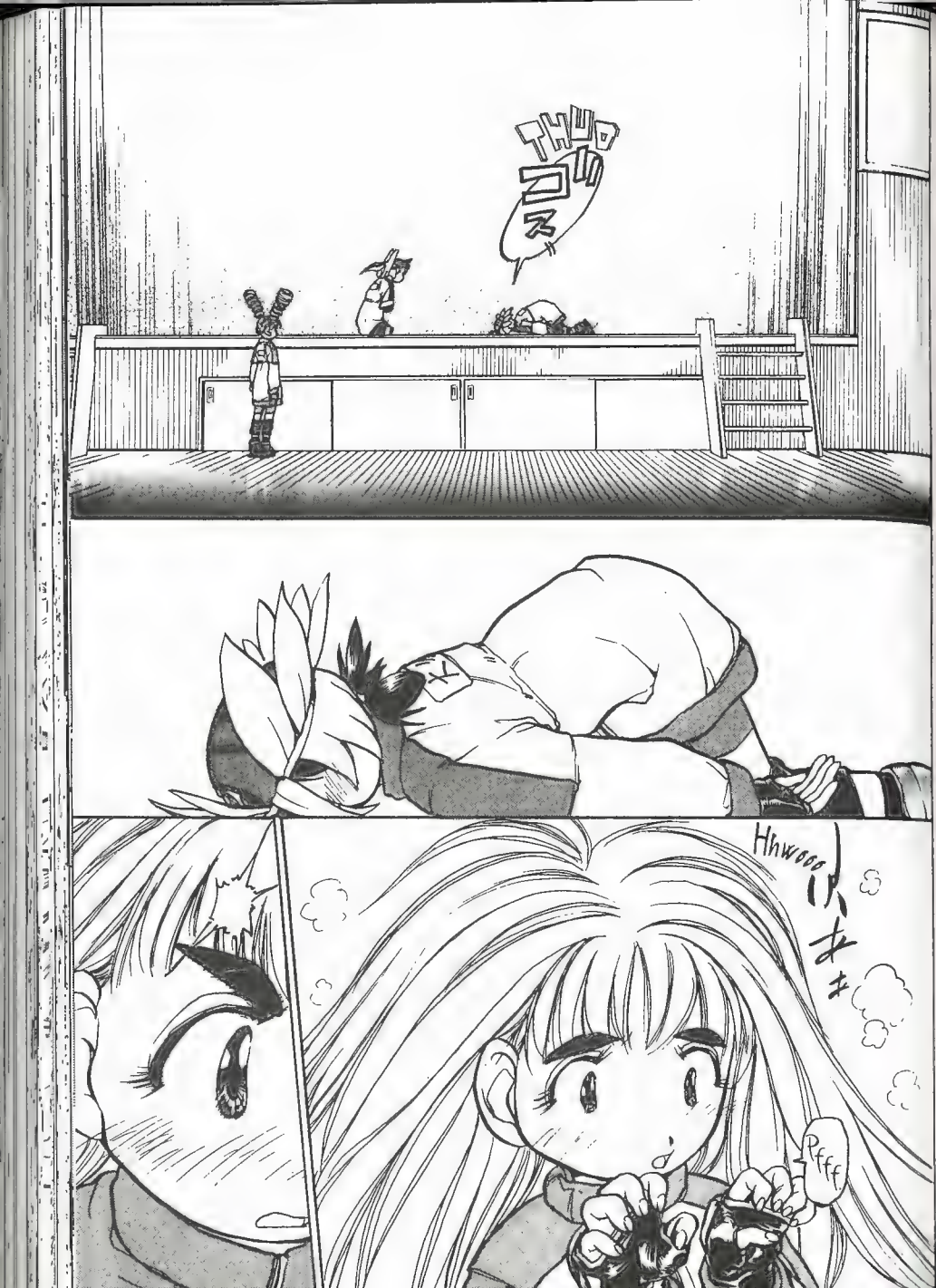
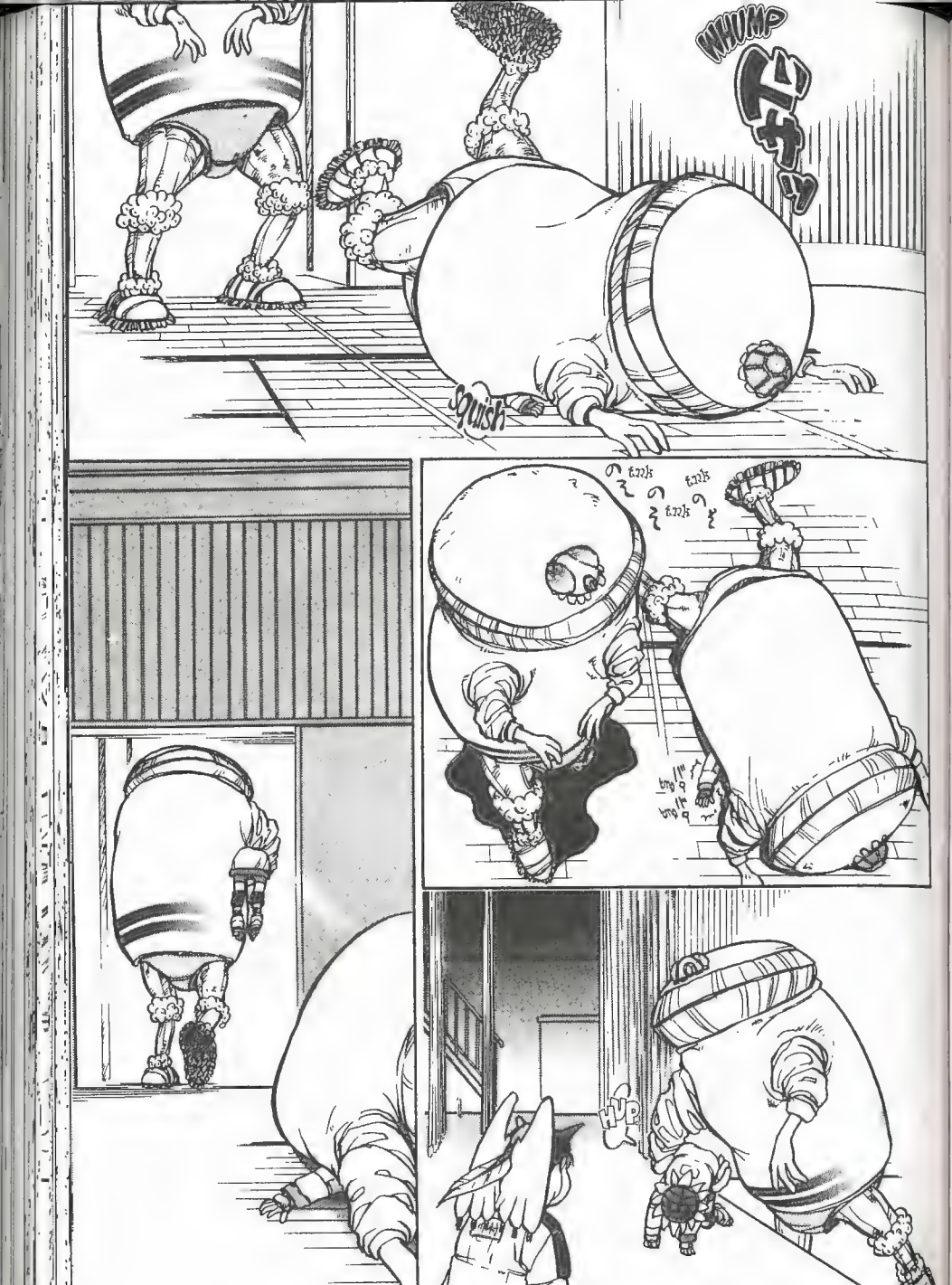
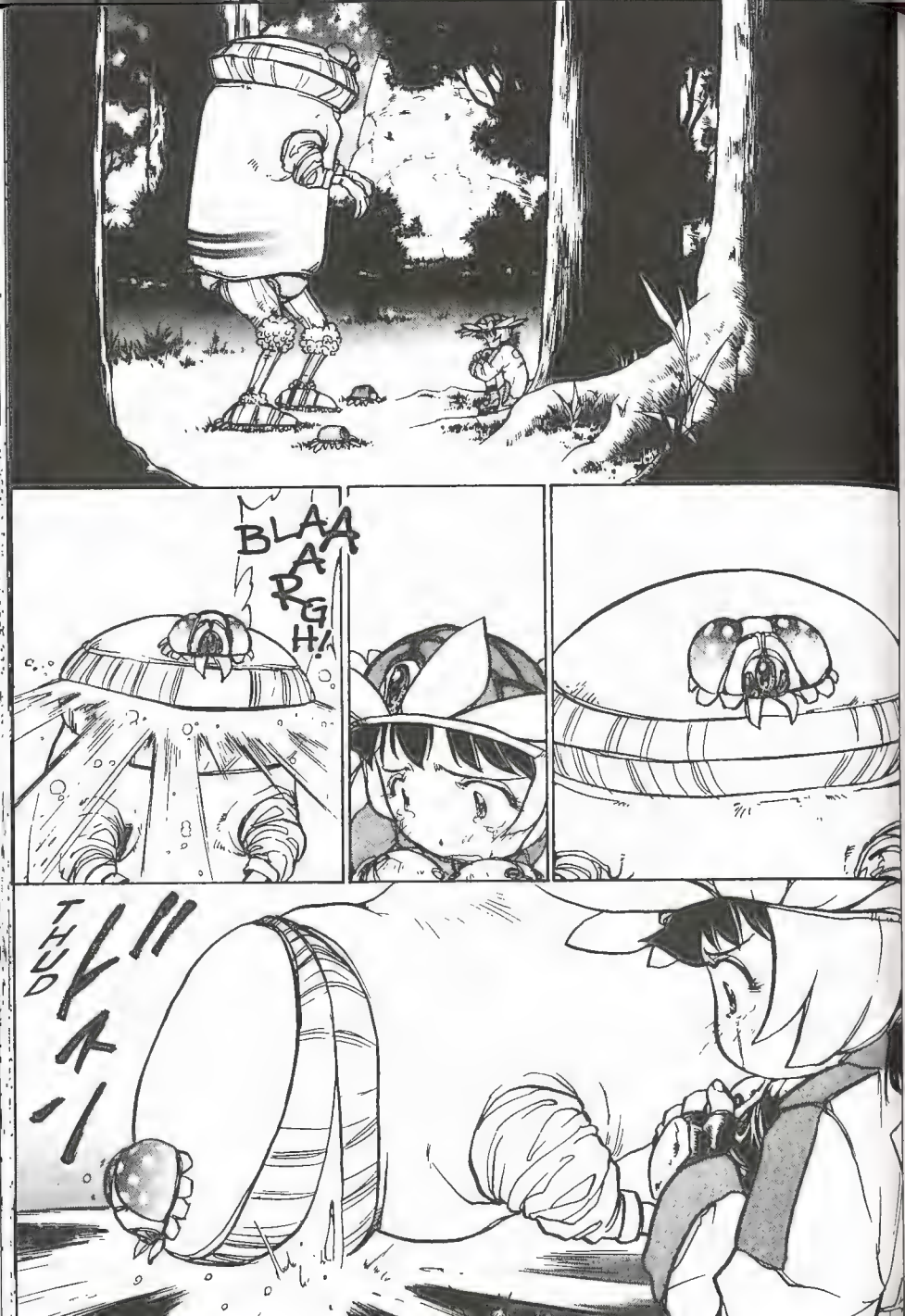
FFFFWWWOOO
FFFWOOOO


Hhwooo
Pfff

IT HURTS.
IT HUUURTS!
OWWW!
OWWWW!
OUUUCHH!


WHUMP
squish
squish
squish
squish
HUP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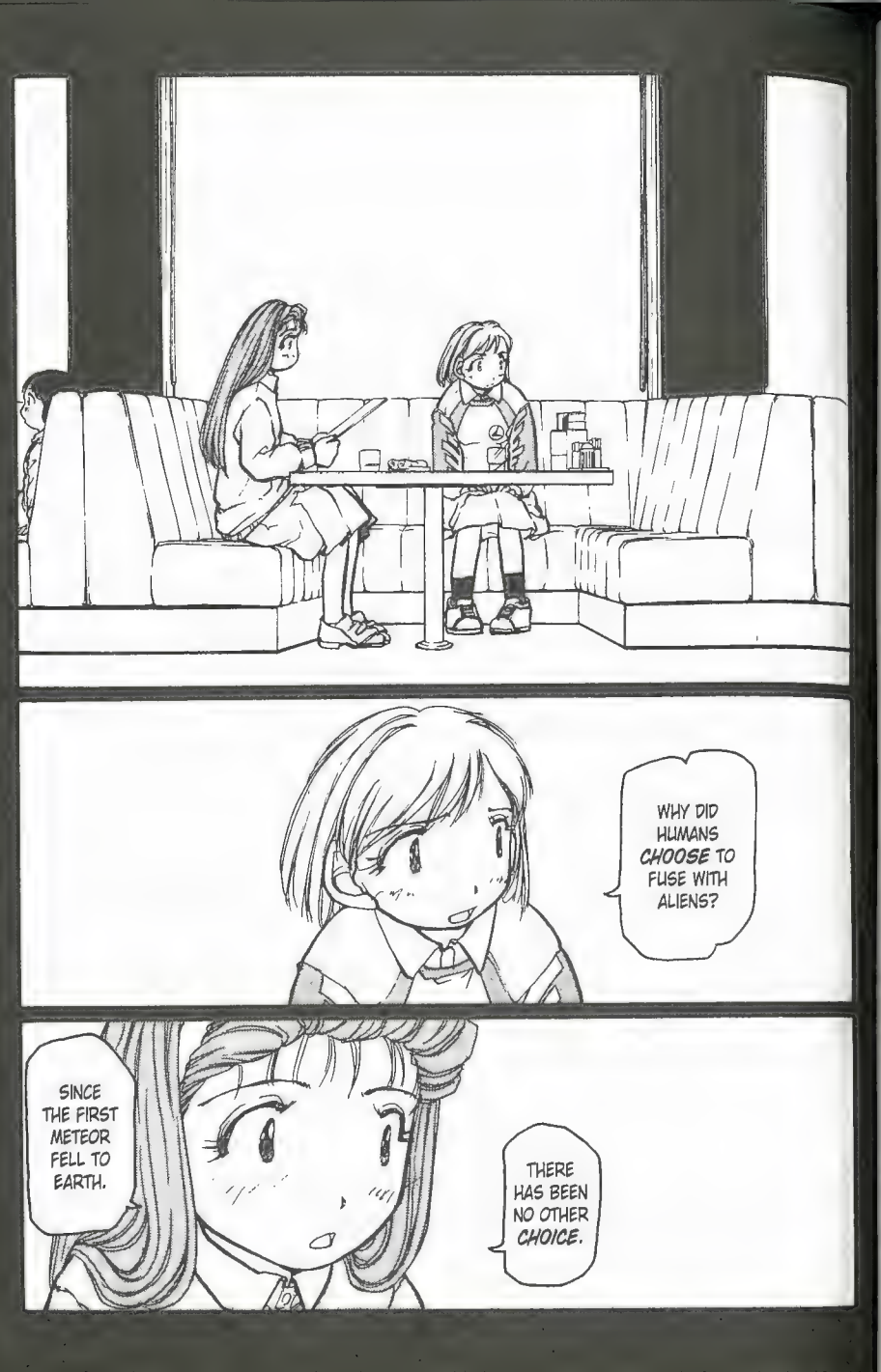
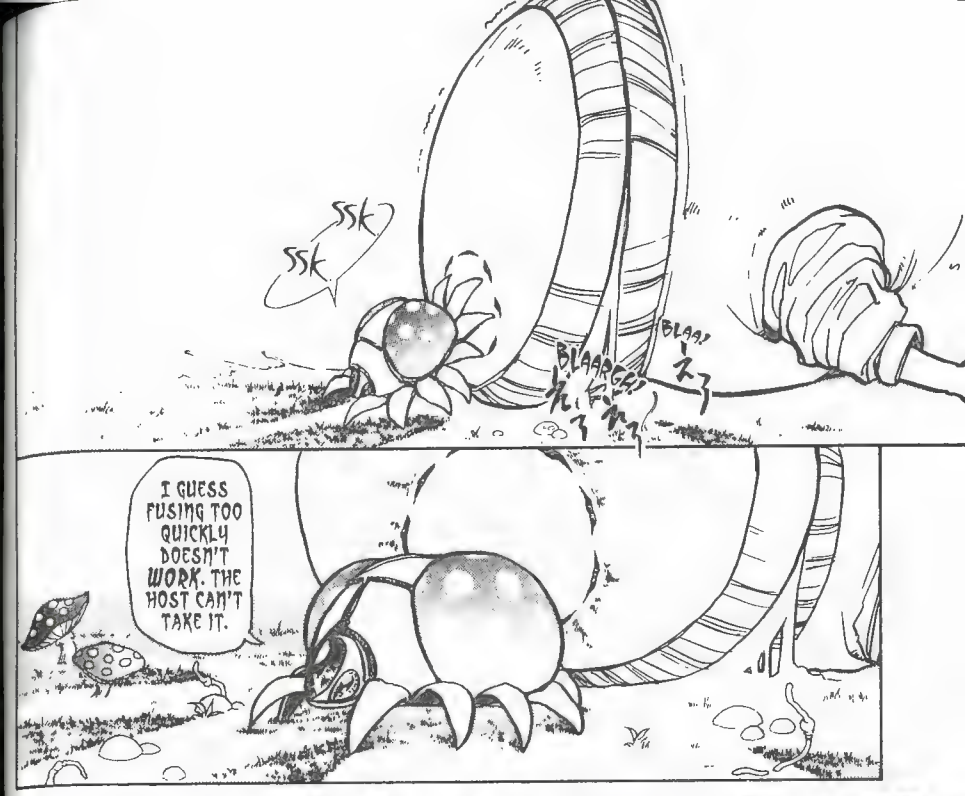
A
RGH
HA
THUD
ドスーン

BYOOOM
HE TOOK HER AWAY.


WHY DID HUMANS CHOOSE TO FUSE WITH ALIENS?
SINCE THE FIRST METEOR FELL TO EARTH.
THERE HAS BEEN NO OTHER CHOICE.


SSK
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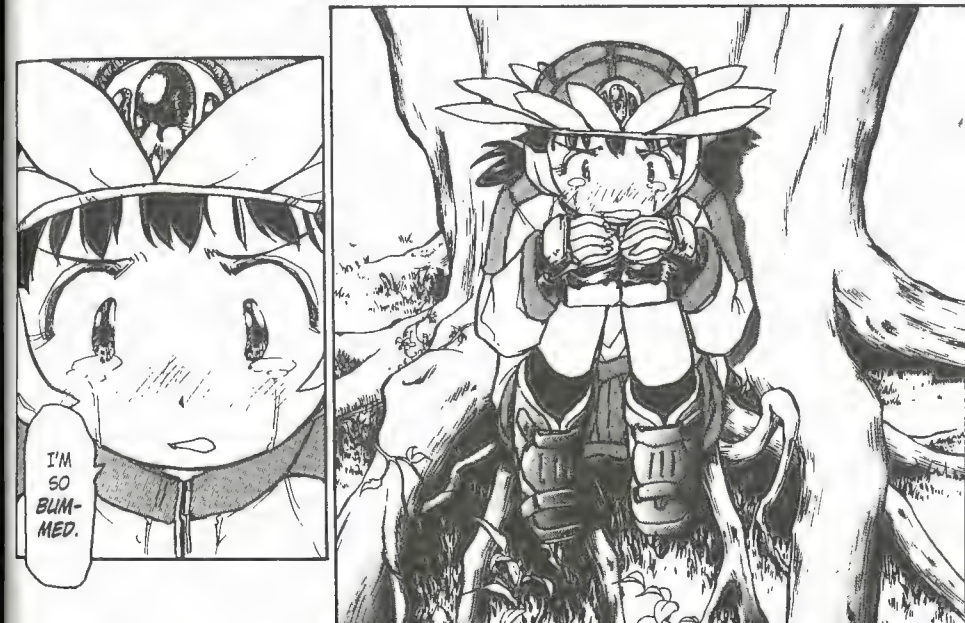
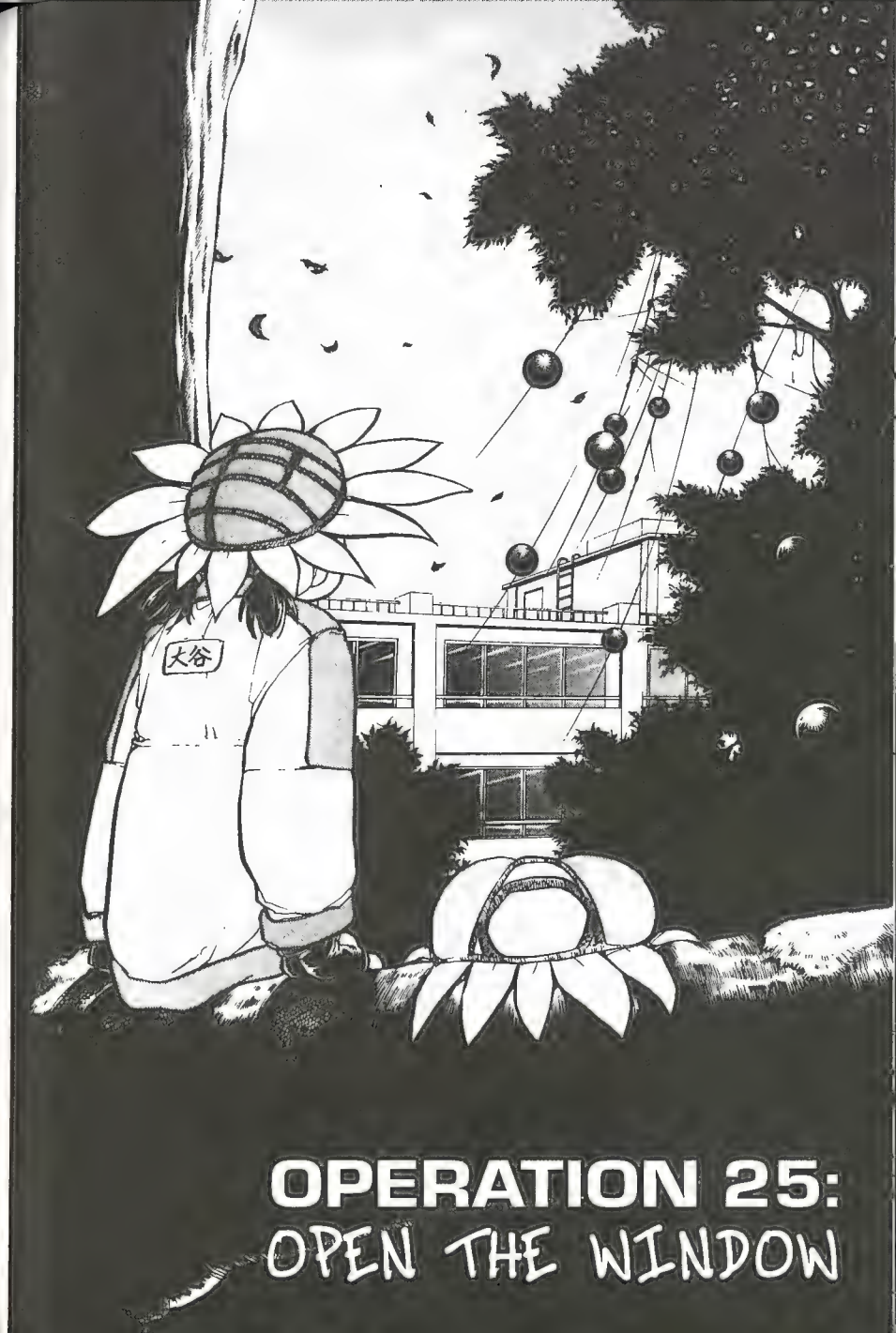
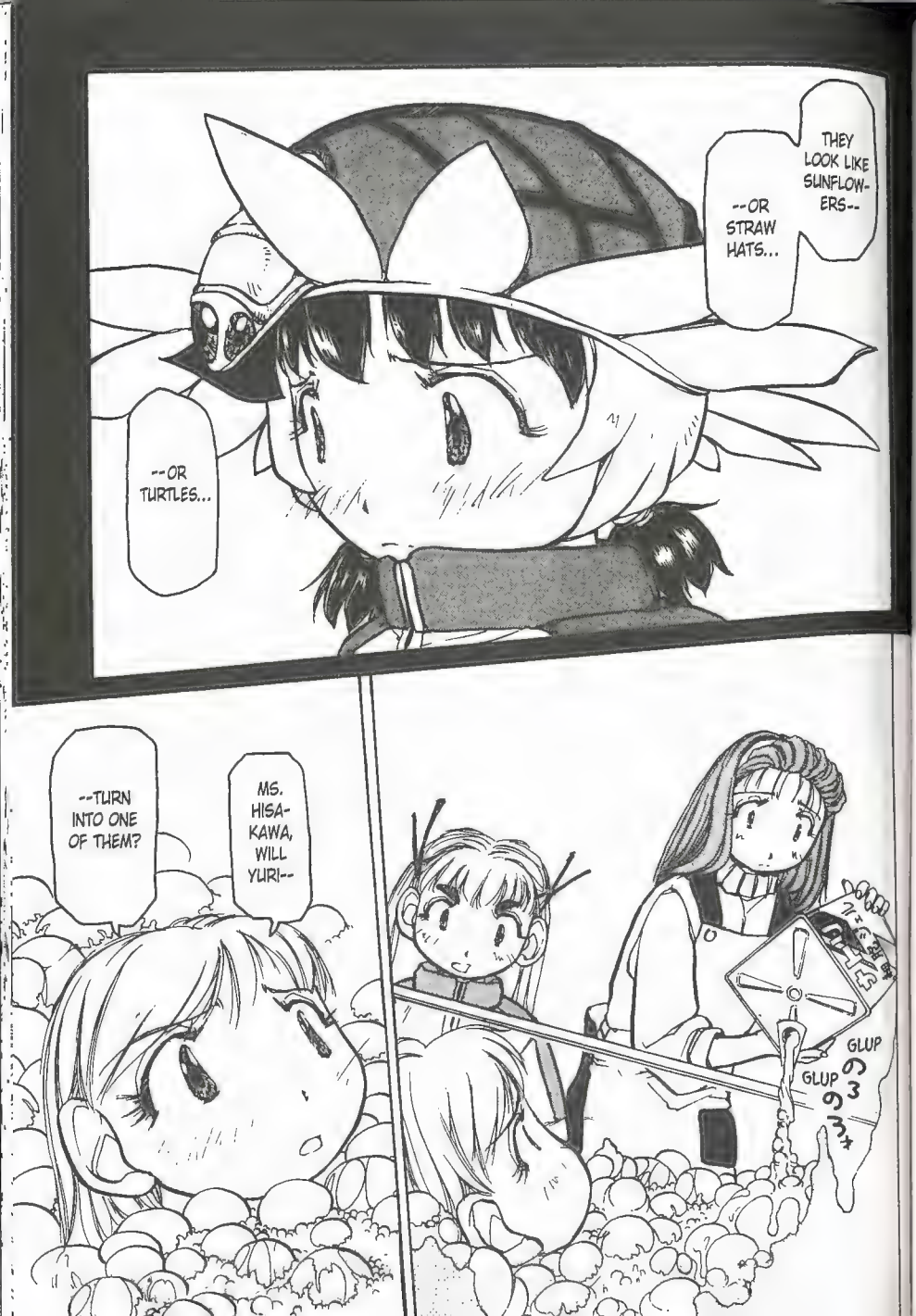
BLAAR
BLAAR
I GUESS FUSING TOO QUICKLY DOESN'T WORK. THE HOST CAN'T TAKE IT.


I'M SO BUM-MED.



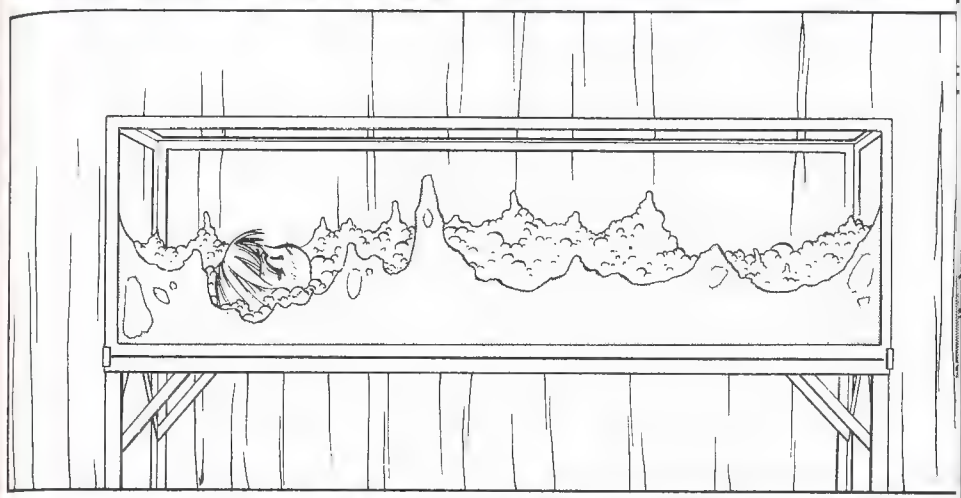
OPERATION 25: OPEN THE WINDOW


THEY LOOK LIKE SUNFLOWERS--
--OR STRAW HATS...
--OR TURTLES...
--TURN INTO ONE OF THEM?
MS. HISAKAWA, WILL YURI--
GLUP
GLUP

CAN'T YOU MAKE MORE THAN ONE PAIR OF COILS ON YOUR HEAD?
I SEE. INTER-FERENCE WAVES...
FOR POWER, THE IMPORTANT THING IS THE NUMBER OF SPIRALS.
THAT'S RIGHT.
WHICH MEANS YOU CAN ONLY LAUNCH STRONG PINPOINT ATTACKS.

FWOO
FWOO
FWOO
FWOO
FWOO
Boing
IF THE SUNFLOWER HASN'T FUSED WITH HER, IT SHOULDN'T BE SCARY.
I CAN PARALYZE THE HOST WITHOUT HARMING HER.

AM I PICKING ON YURI WITHOUT KNOWING IT?
HI.
YU... YURI?
HAVE YOU DECIDED?

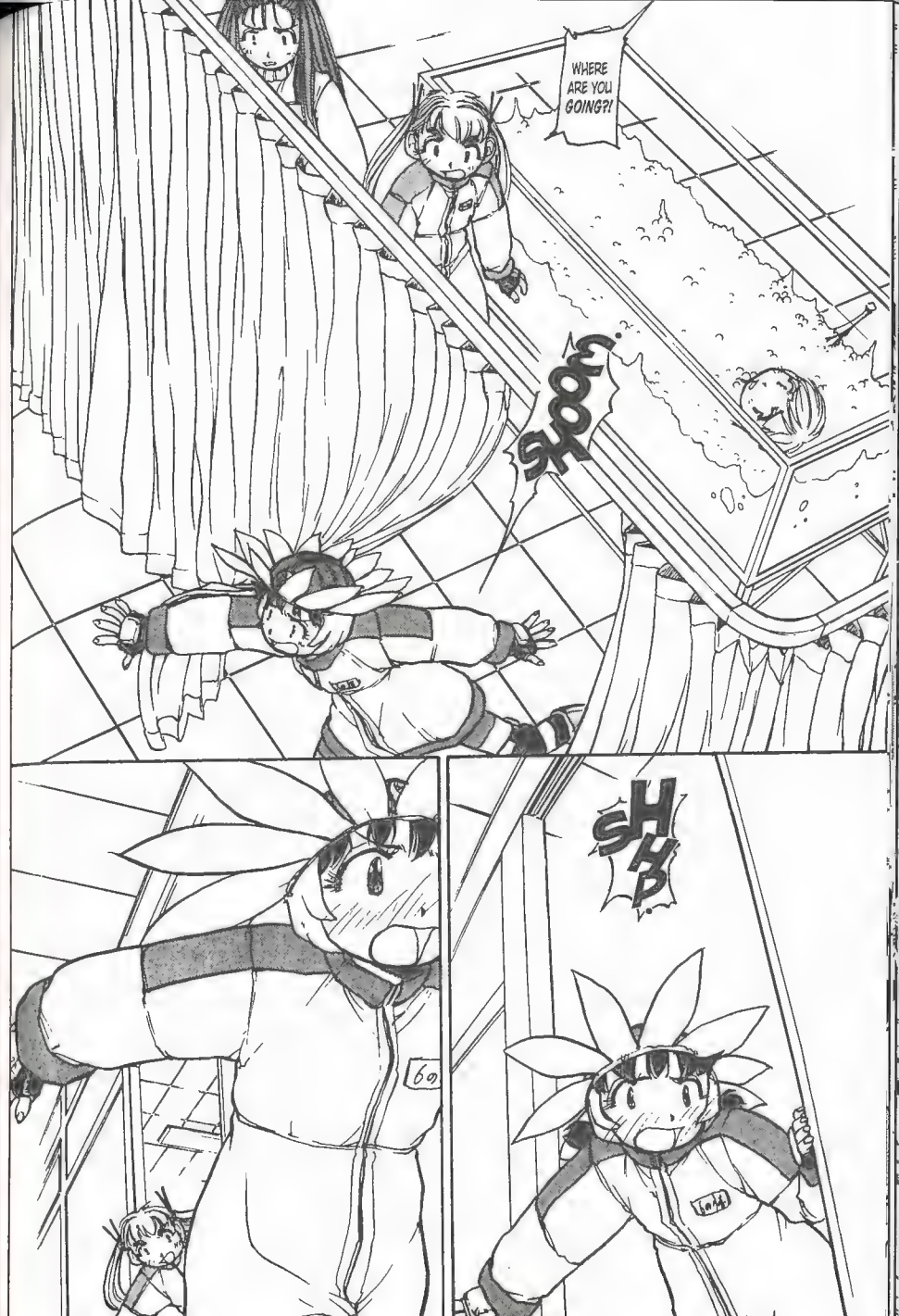


IT'S MUCH BETTER THIS WAY.
WHY DON'T YOU BE LIKE ME?

YOU'RE TRYING TO PUSH ME AWAY AGAIN.
YOU'RE PICKING ON ME AGAIN.

I DIDN'T LIKE LIVING WITH AN ALIEN *AT FIRST*, BUT IT'S NOT SO BAD AFTER ALL.
KUMI, I REALLY THINK YOU SHOULD BE WITH *THIS* ALIEN.
I'VE BEEN THINKING...
YOU NEVER *QUIT*, YURI.
--THINK ABOUT KUMI'S FEELINGS *FOR A CHANGE?*
WHY DON'T YOU--
SECURELY CLOSE ALL DOORS AND *DO NOT* LEAVE THE CLASSROOM UNDER ANY *CIRCUMSTANCE*.
ATTENTION, THIS IS AN *ALIEN ALERT. ALIEN ALERT.*
HOW STRANGE. THEY *USUALLY* DON'T SHOW UP AT *LUNCHTIME*.
ALIEN... SHE SAID ALIEN, MIYU.
ALIEN?
IT'S GETTING *RIDICULOUS*.
I'M GETTING *TIRED* OF THIS.

WAAAIT!
--SHE'S NOT WEARING HER BORG?
DID YOU NOTICE--
SHE'S JUST TRYING TO MAKE FRIENDS.
WHAT?

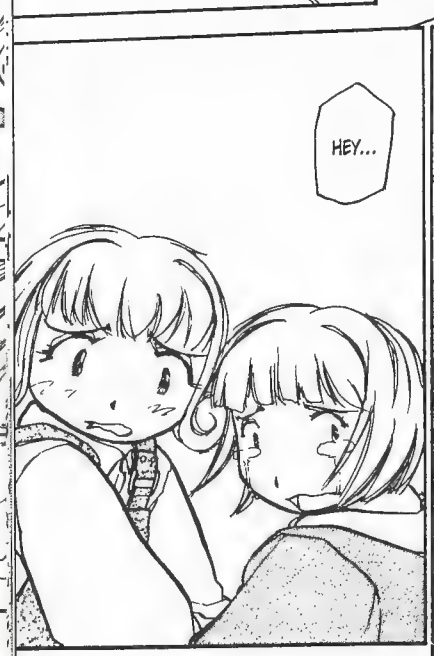

WHERE ARE YOU GOING?!
SHOVE
SHOVE
60

shoooom
TMP パス
TMP パス
TMP パス

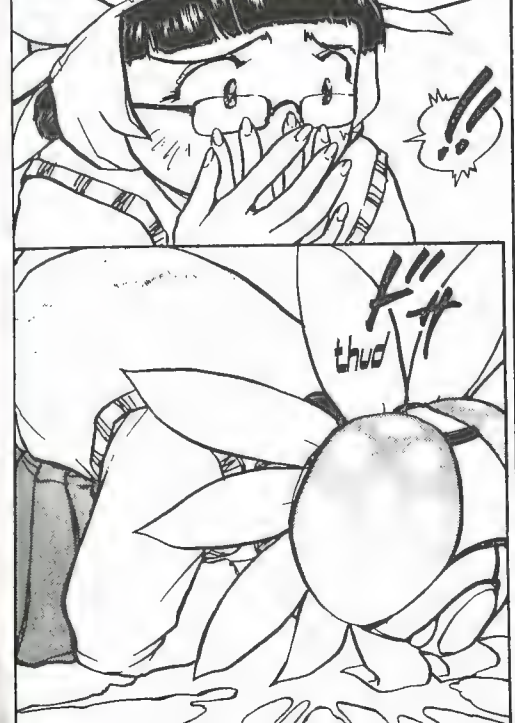
I HOPE ALIENS COME AND MESS UP OUR ENTRANCE EXAMS.
PFFFF
YOU KNOW WE CAN'T OPEN WINDOWS DURING AN ALIEN ALERT!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING, NAMIKI?
shhp
カリ
WHY NOT?
HU... HUH?

HURRY!
KASUMI... YURI'S A DECOY.
beep
beep

SSK
THEY'RE ALL USELESS.
SSK
THIS ONE'S NO GOOD EITHER.
SSK
SSK
SSK


HEY...

ISN'T THERE ANYONE WE CAN USE?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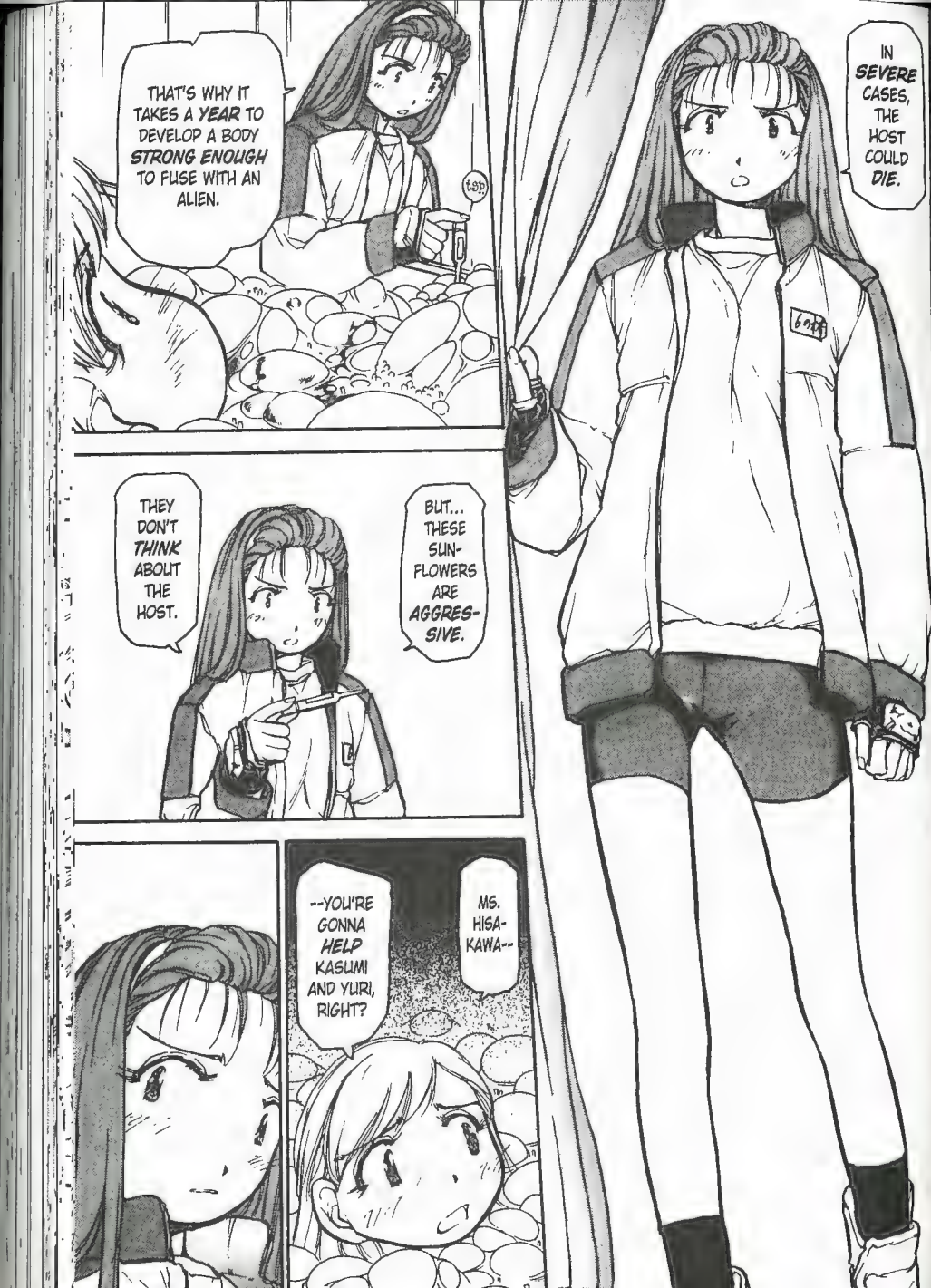
thud

plop

WHY EARTH?
WHY?
HUMANS PRODUCE LOTS OF ELECTRICITY.
THERE ARE NO OTHER CREATURES AS HEARTY.
BAM

OPERATION 26: STOP INTERFERING!


THAT'S WHY IT TAKES A YEAR TO DEVELOP A BODY STRONG ENOUGH TO FUSE WITH AN ALIEN.
IN SEVERE CASES, THE HOST COULD DIE.
THEY DON'T THINK ABOUT THE HOST.
BUT... THESE SUN-FLOWERS ARE AGGRES-SIVE.
MS. HISA-KAWA--
--YOU'RE GONNA HELP KASUMI AND YURI, RIGHT?

LIVING SYMBIOTICALLY ISN'T ALL THAT EASY.
THE CONDITION OF THE HOST, HEREDITY, AND BRAIN WAVE PATTERNS--
--CAN'T BE IGNORED.
OTHERWISE... COMMUNICATION WILL BREAK DOWN AND THE HOST COULD BE INJURED.

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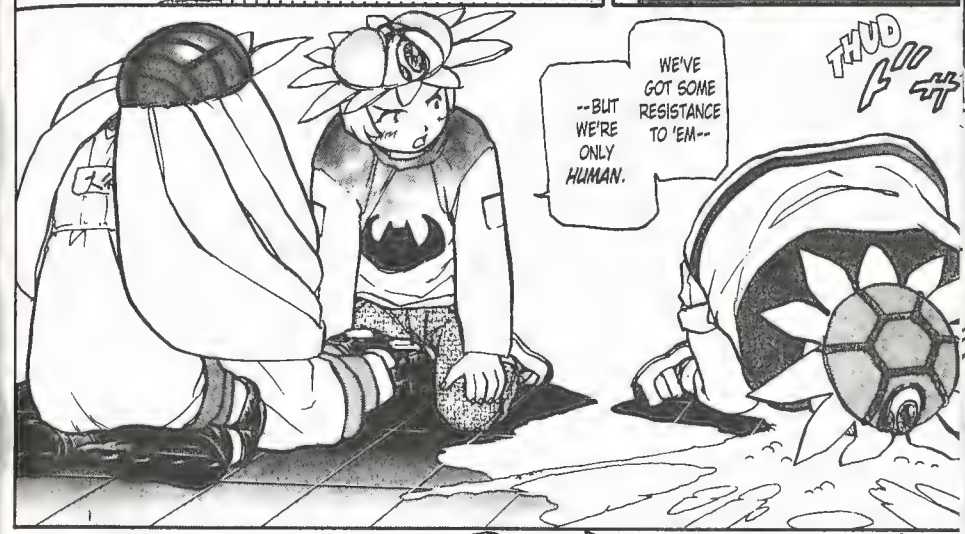
THWIP.
DRK.
SNAP
SNAP
THAT'S NOT WHAT WE HAD IN MIND.

FINALLY, YOU'VE CALMED DOWN.
JUST KILL ME.
huff huff

NONE OF THEM CAN HANDLE THIS.
grrk
BLAAARGH!
THD

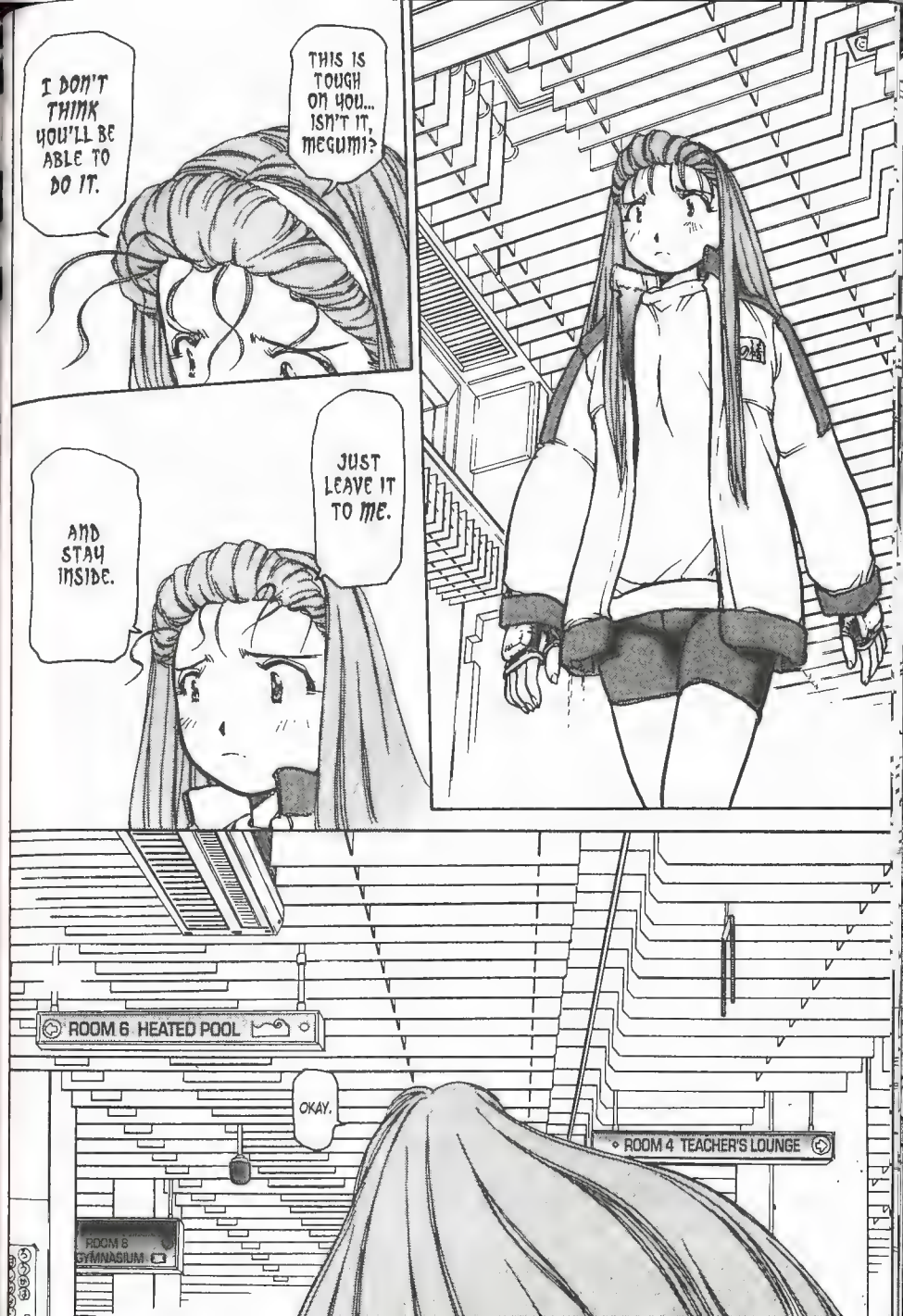
YOU DON'T HAVE TO WORRY. THIS ISN'T YOUR FIRST TIME.
SSK SSK

BLAARGH!
gehh.


--BUT WE'RE ONLY HUMAN.
WE'VE GOT SOME RESISTANCE TO 'EM--
THUD

gaah.
NOT LIKE TRAINED ALIEN FIGHTERS.

STOP!
I WAS HAPPIER THAN EVER.
I WAS HAPPY.
GET OFF ME!
STOP!
STOP INTERFERING!


I DON'T THINK YOU'LL BE ABLE TO DO IT.
THIS IS TOUGH ON YOU... ISN'T IT, MEGUMI?
AND STAY INSIDE.
JUST LEAVE IT TO ME.
ROOM 6 HEATED POOL
OKAY.
ROOM 4 TEACHER'S LOUNGE
ROOM 8 GYMNASIUM

NOO! NOOO!
KONK
GET OFF.
GET OFF.
GET OFF.
GET OFF.
GET OFF.
YOU'RE WRECKING MY HAPPINESS.
DON'T TAKE AWAY MY HAPPINESS!
KONK
KONK
KONK
SHLP
NOOOO!

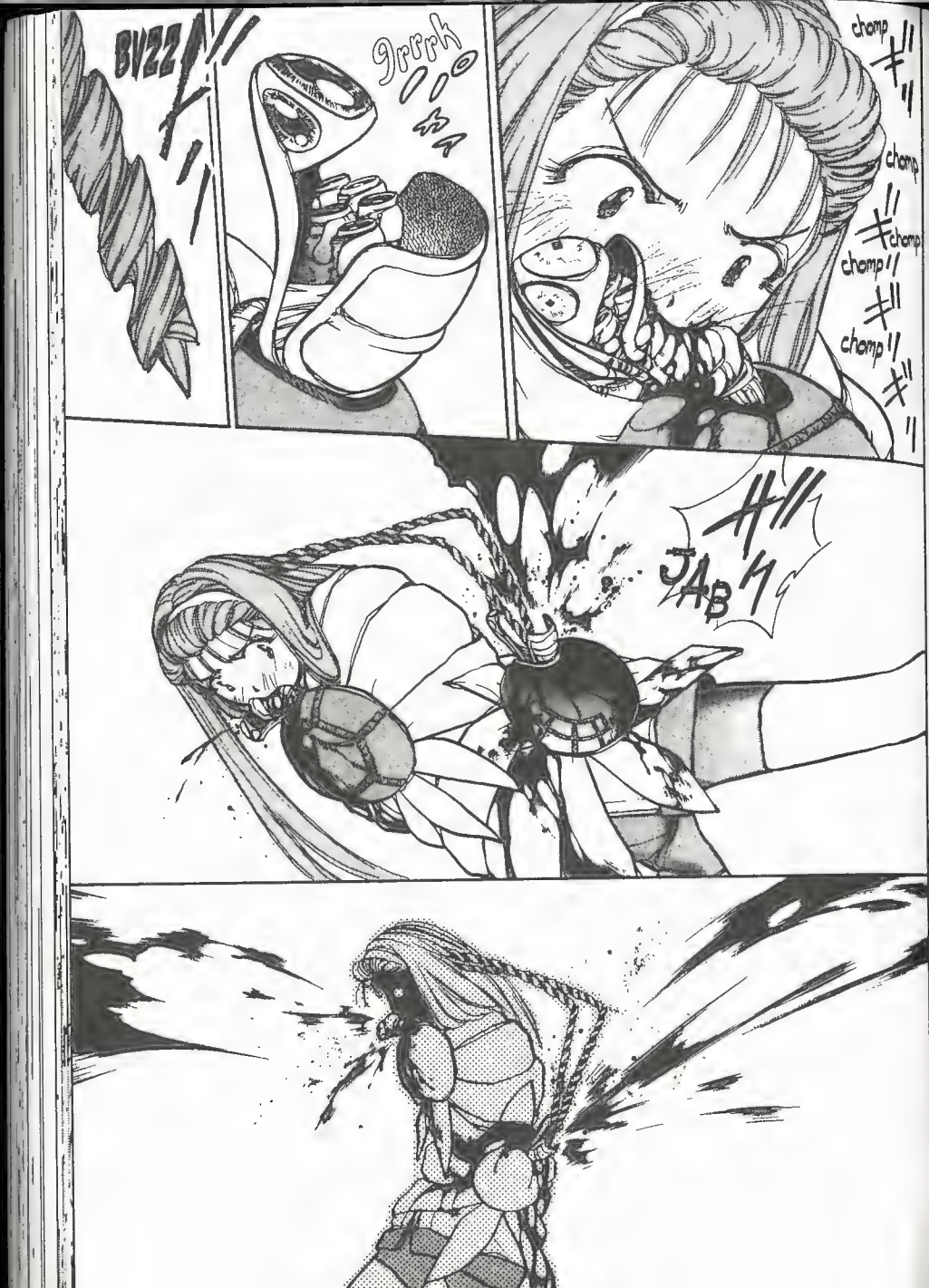
BECAUSE SHE HASN'T FUSED COMPLETELY.
THE HUMAN YURI STILL EXISTS.
I'M SORRY, YURI.
YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE TO DIE.
swoop

slump

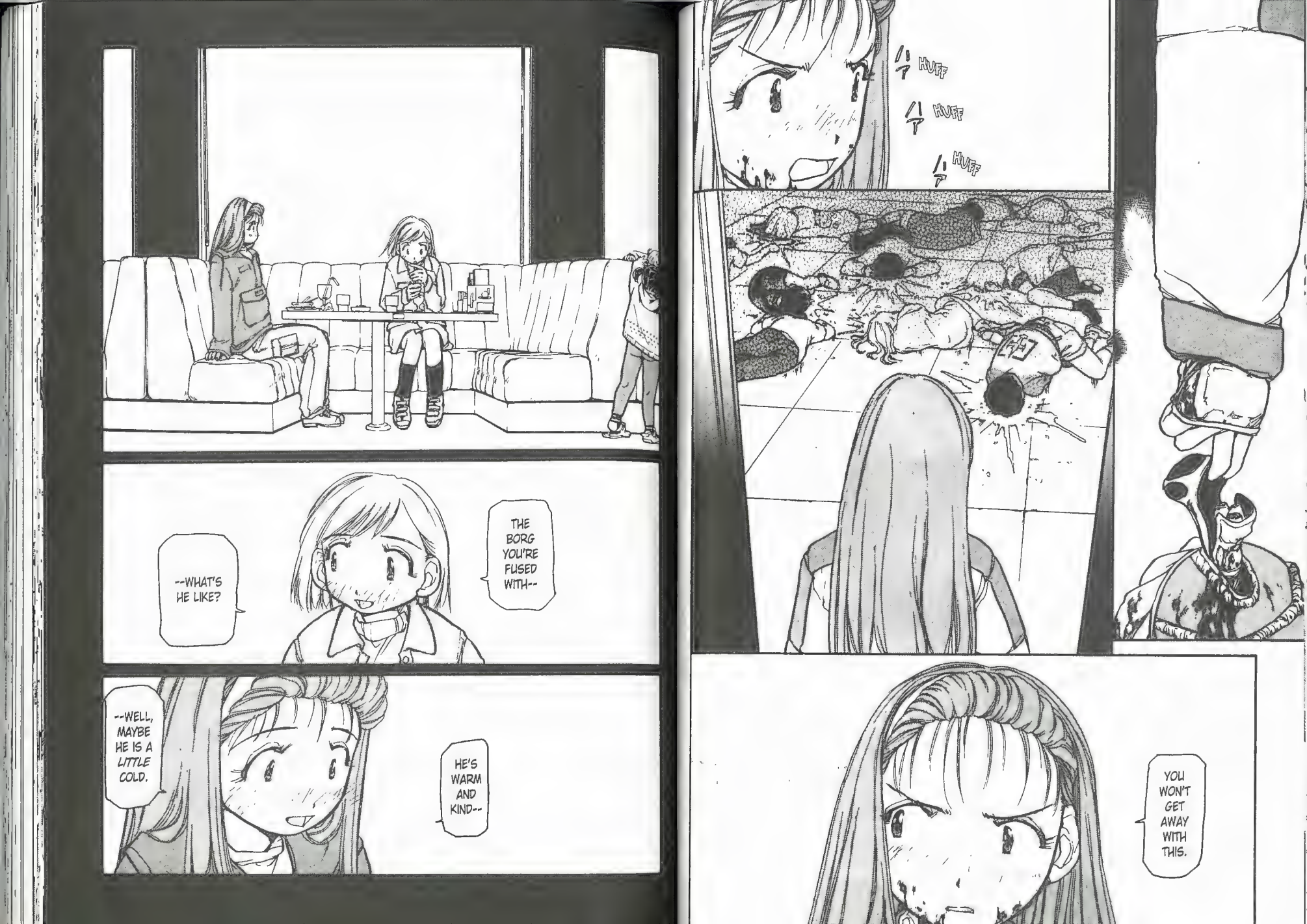
still

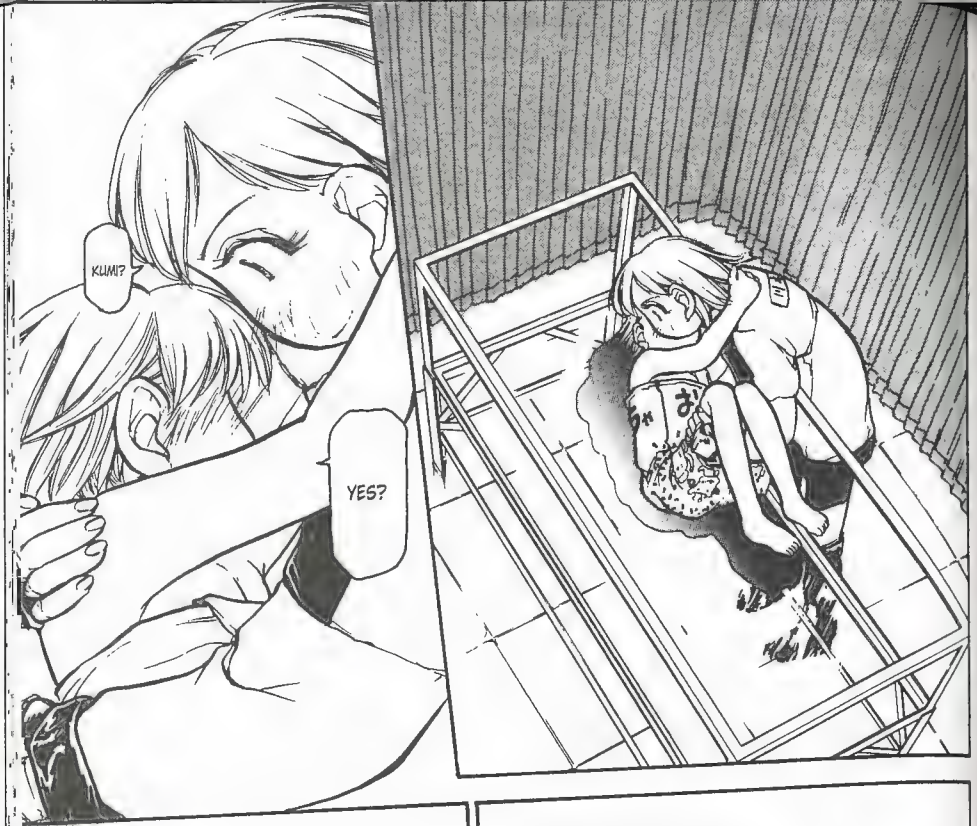
HUH?
WH... WHAT?

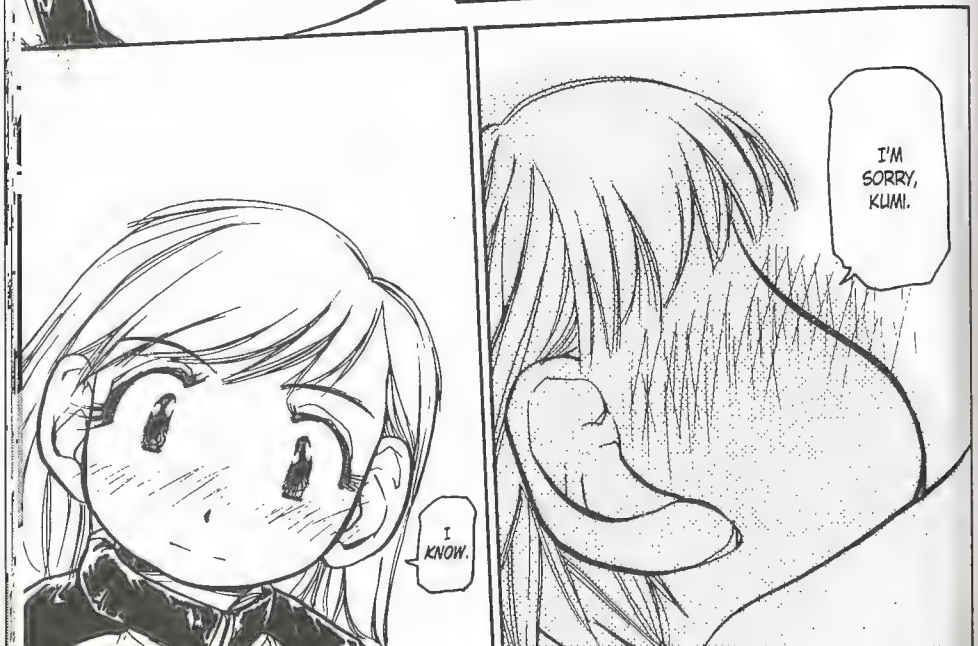
WHAT'S WRONG, YURI?
WHY ARE YOU INTERFERING?


BV22
Grrrk
chomp
chomp
chomp
chomp
chomp
JAB

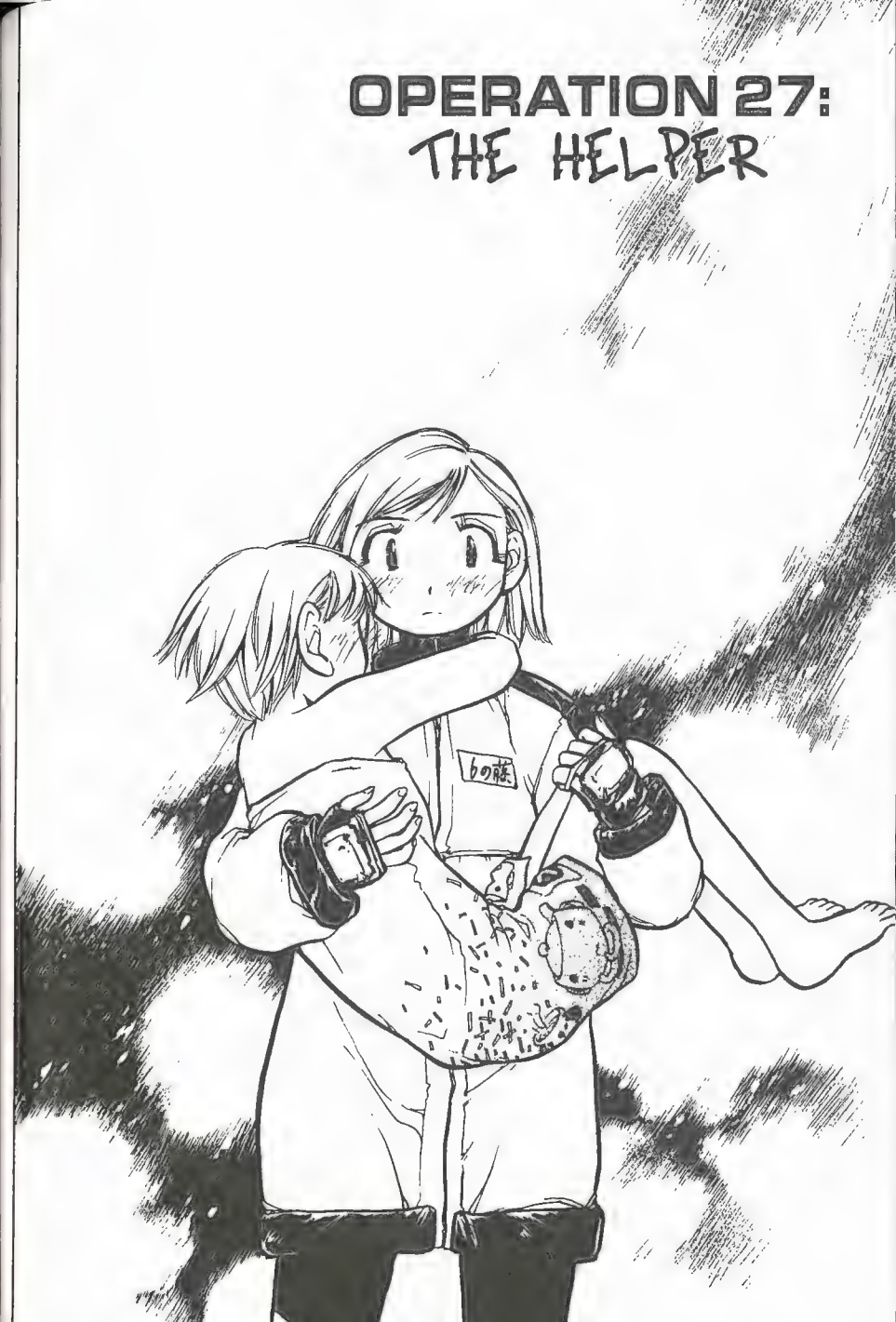
GET OFF ME, YOU PUNKS!
Grrk.
FWWP
FWWP
FWWP
FWWP
CHOMP

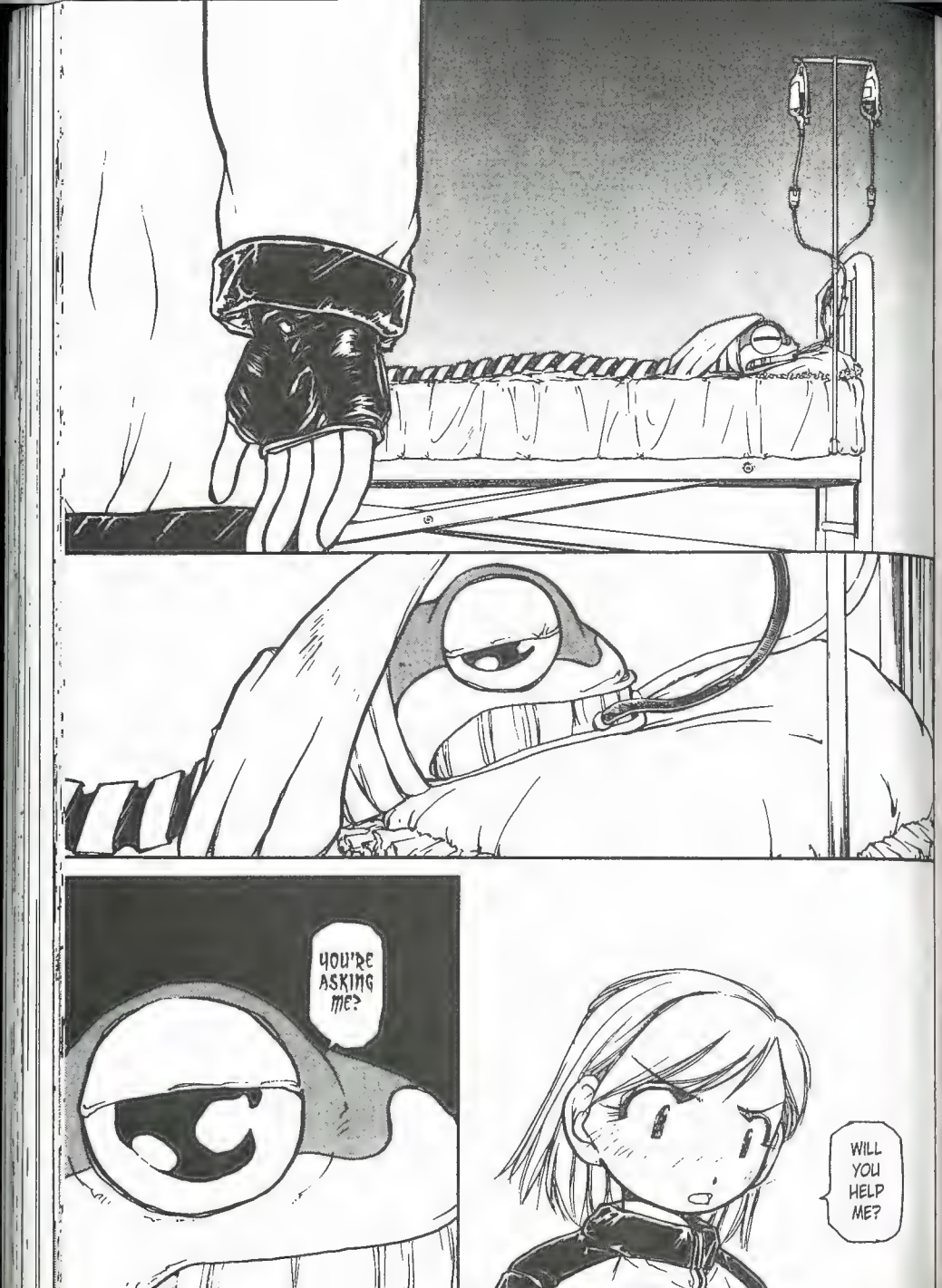

HUFF
HUFF
HUFF
YOU WON'T GET AWAY WITH THIS.
THE BORG YOU'RE FUSED WITH--
--WHAT'S HE LIKE?
HE'S WARM AND KIND--
--WELL, MAYBE HE IS A LITTLE COLD.

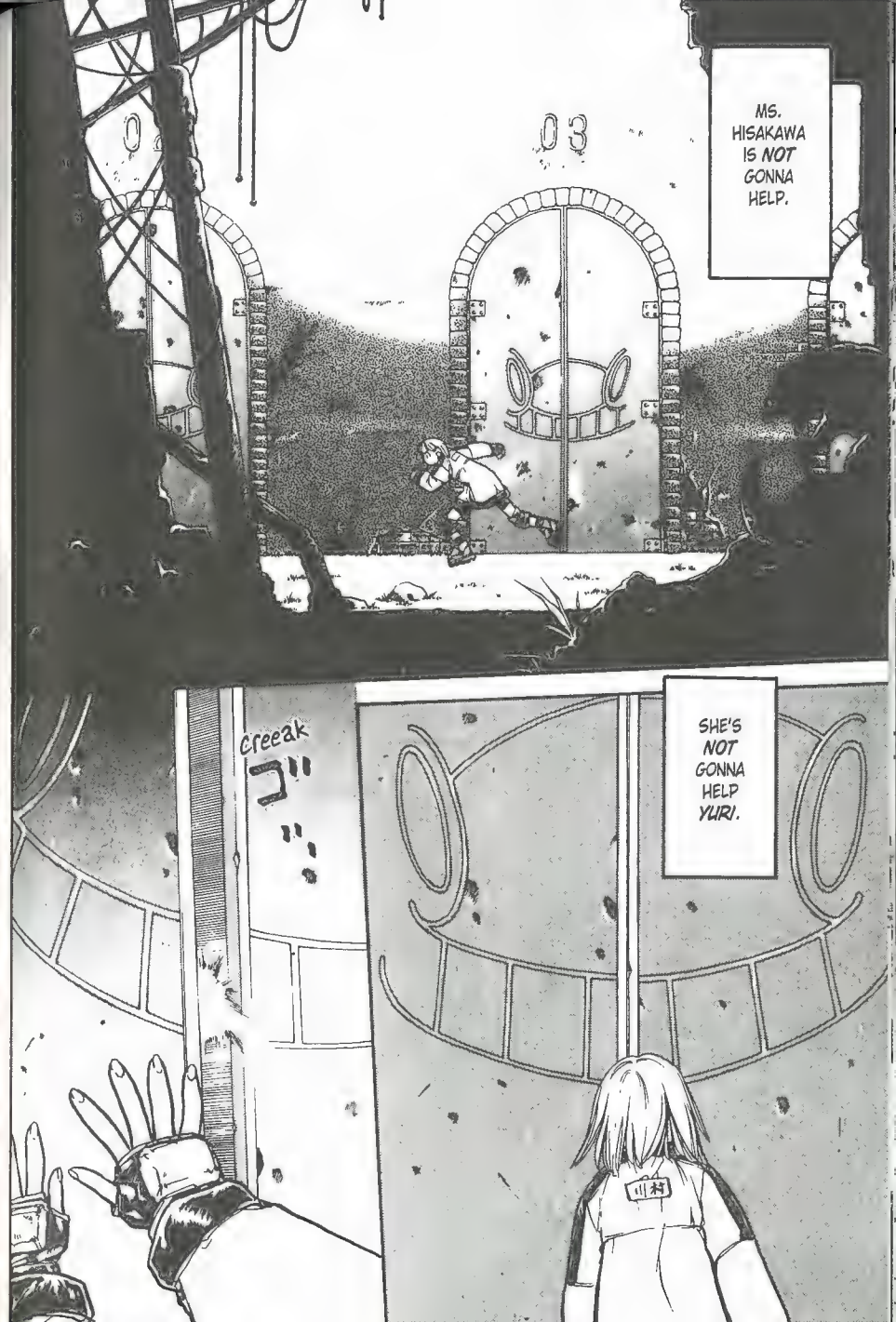


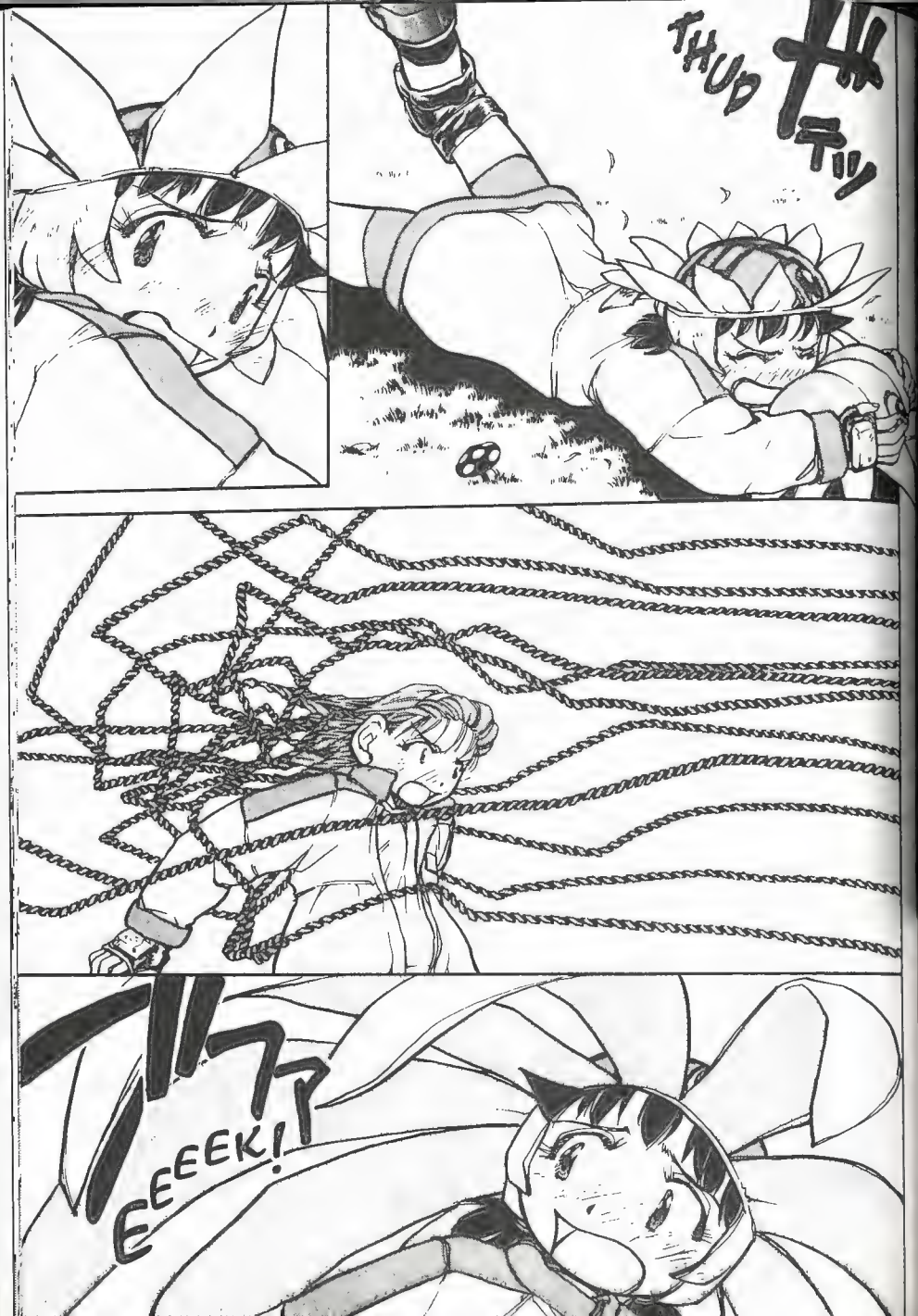


OPERATION 27: THE HELPER

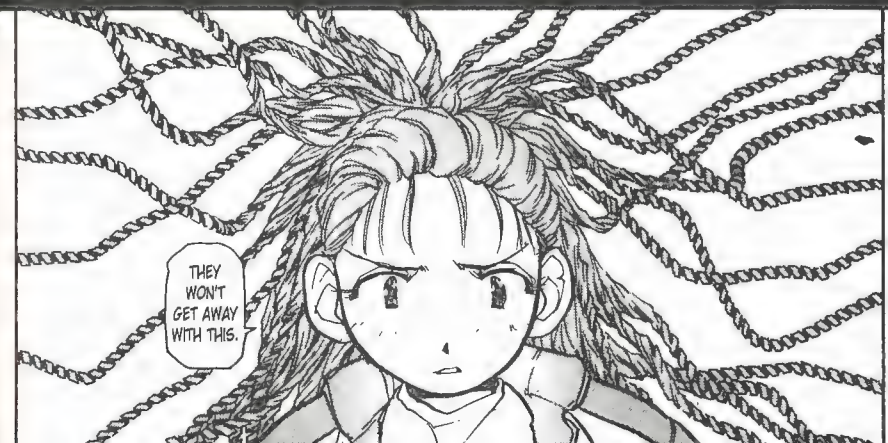



YOU'RE ASKING ME?
WILL YOU HELP ME?

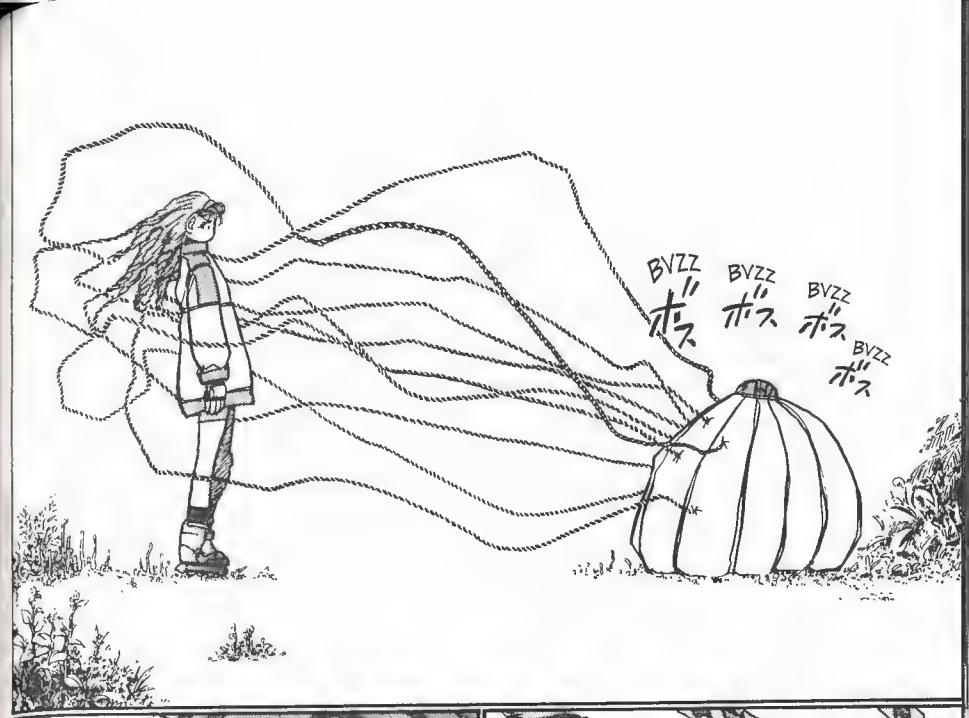

MS. HISAKAWA IS *NOT* GONNA HELP.
creeak
SHE'S *NOT* GONNA HELP *YURI*.


THUD
EEEEK!

GET RID OF US?
YOU MEAN--
-- THEY'RE TRYING TO KILL THE HOSTS TOO?
THEY'VE ALREADY ANNIHILATED EVERYONE AT ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS 2 AND 6.
AND THEY'VE TAKEN CONTROL OF TWENTY PERCENT OF THE COUNTRY.
WE'VE GOT TO GET SERIOUS.


THEY WON'T GET AWAY WITH THIS.

HSSSH
YANK
SHE'S YOUR STUDENT.


BVZZ
BVZZ
BVZZ
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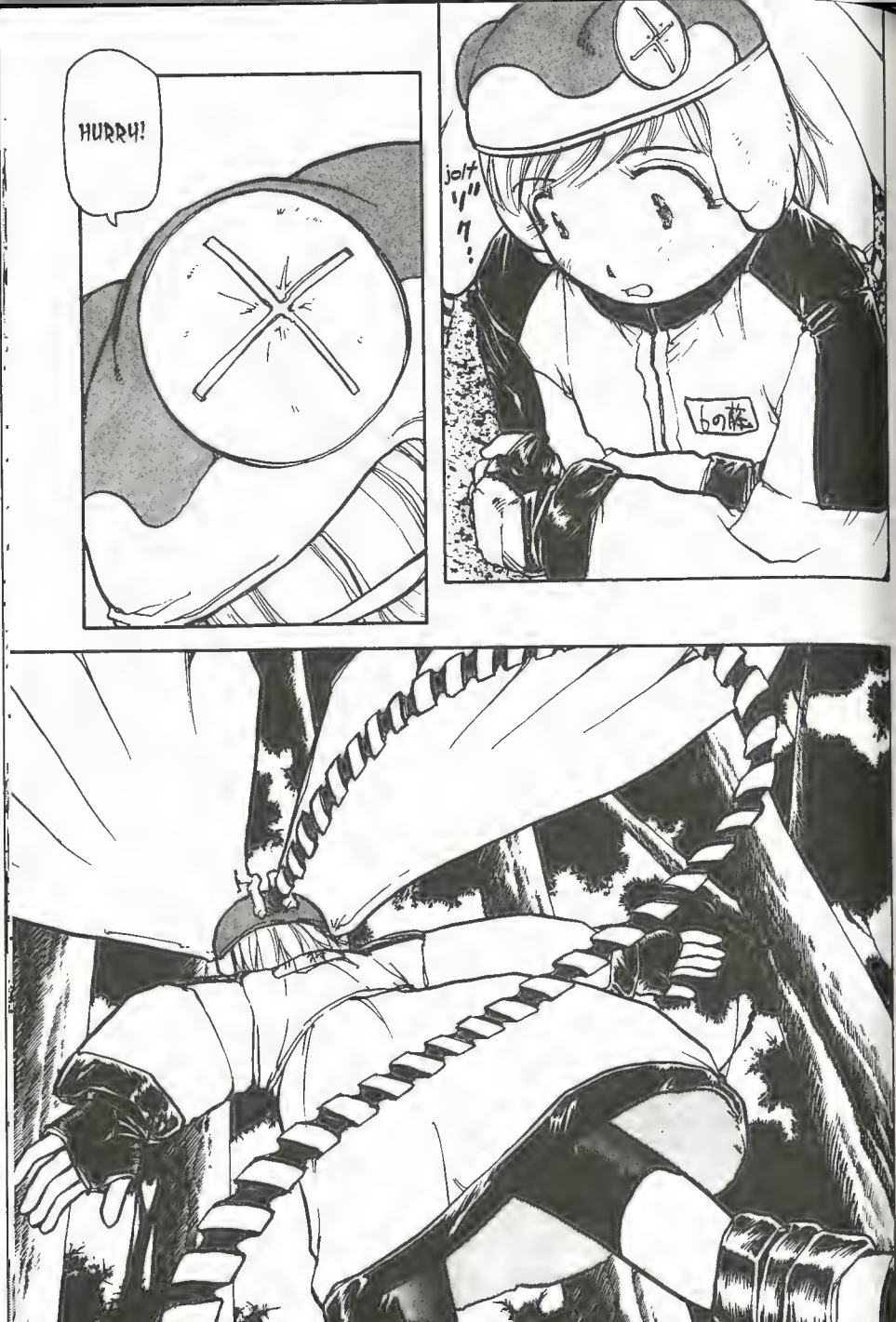
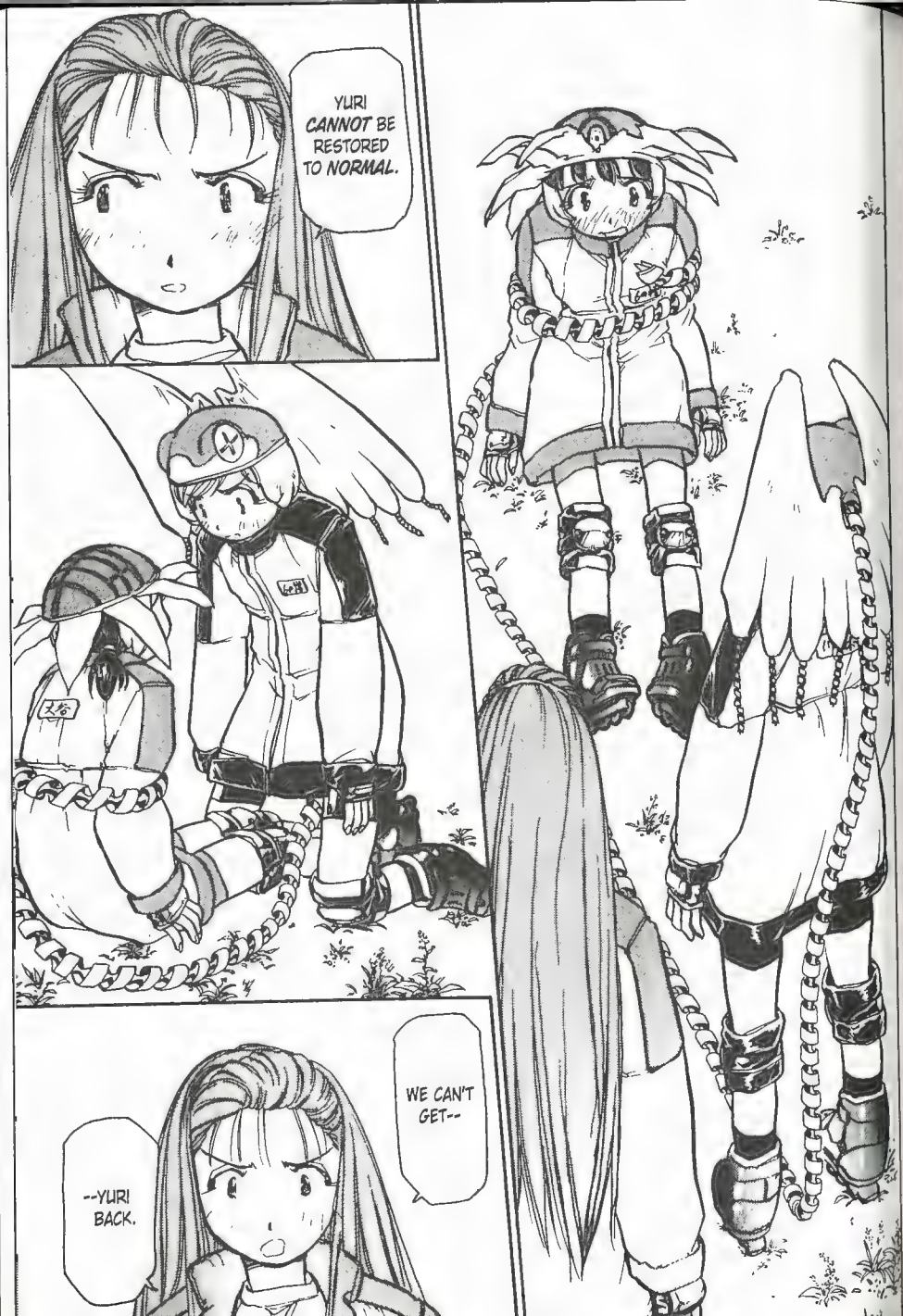
GRAB.
I TOLD YOU, I WON'T LET YOU GET AWAY WITH THIS!

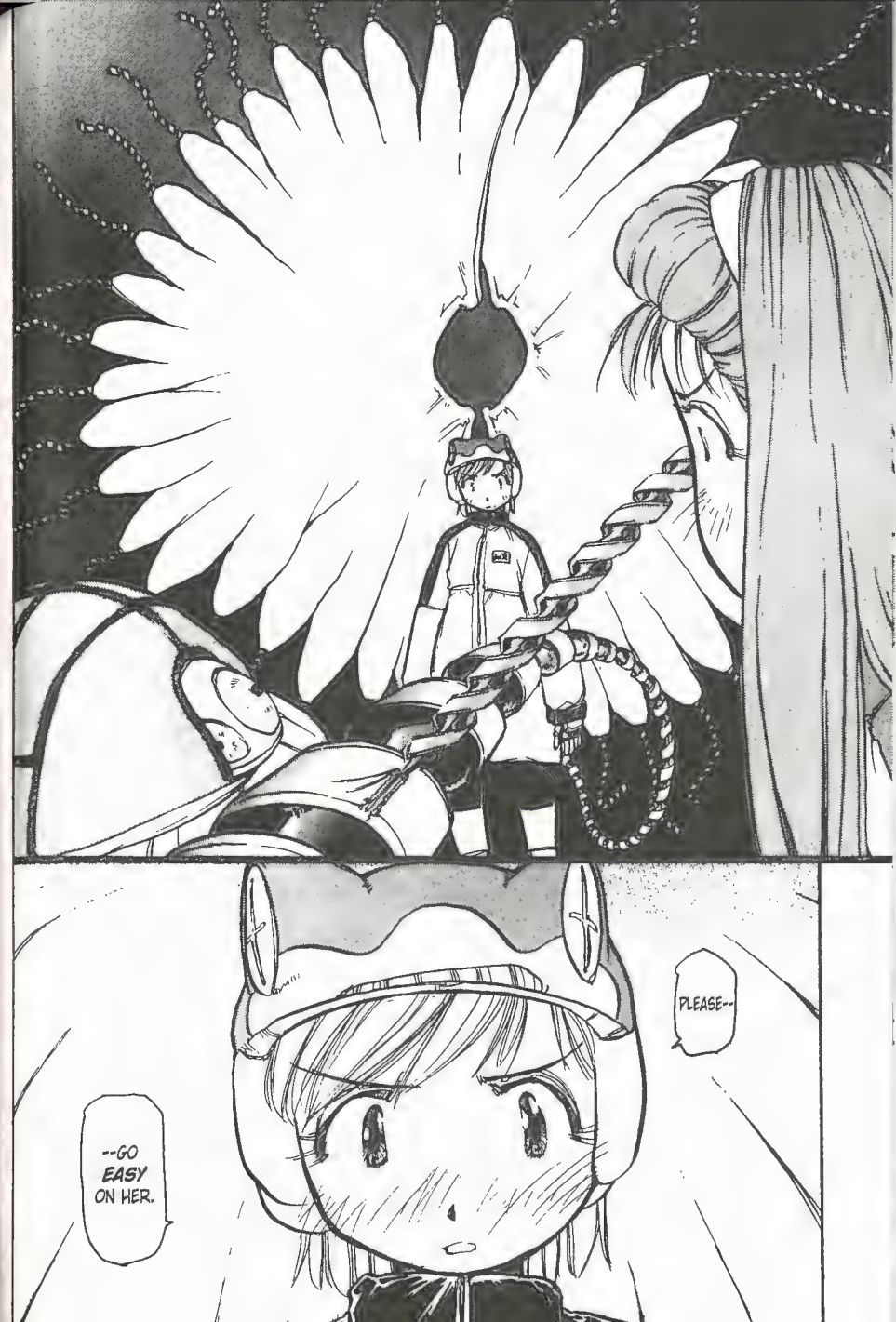

HURRY!
jolt

SSSPURT

I WON'T...
THUD
I WON'T LET--
--THEM HAVE YOU.
BECAUSE YOU'RE MY STUDENT.
CLINK.

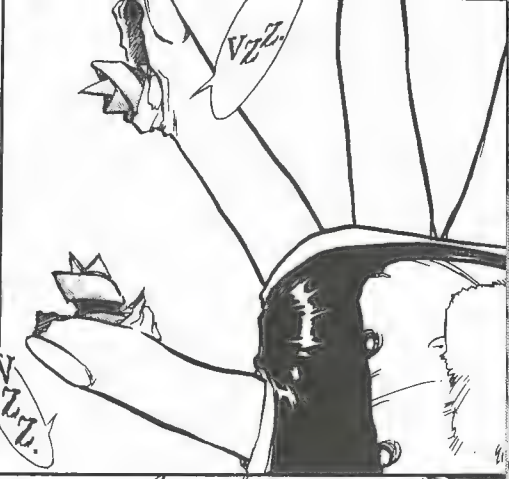
SHHLUP
YANK.

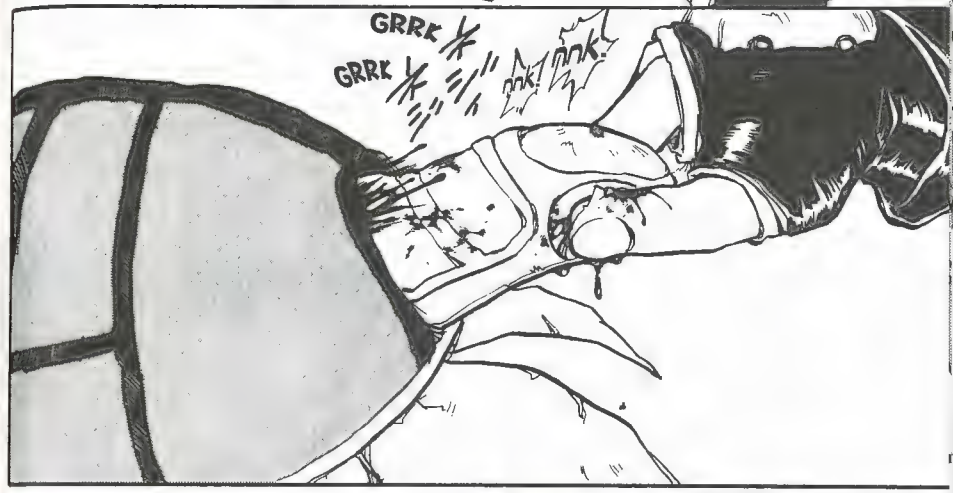

YURI CANNOT BE RESTORED TO NORMAL.
WE CAN'T GET--
--YURI BACK.


PLEASE--
--GO EASY ON HER.

SHHHLP

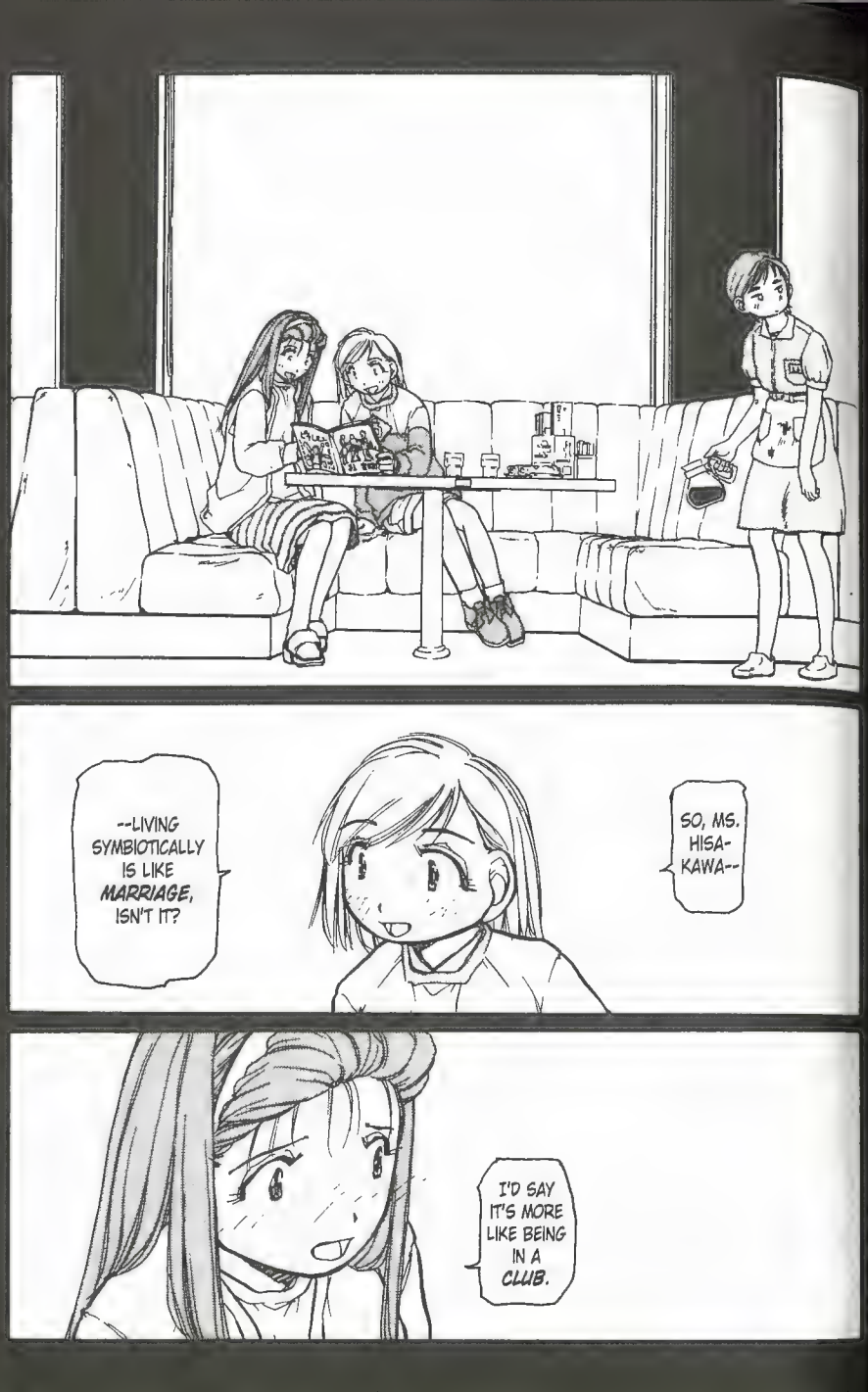
PRICK
PRICK
ziab
VZZ.
VZZ.


VZZ.


GRRK
GRRK
nnk!
nnk!

I'LL PROTECT YOU NO MATTER WHAT.

SHE'LL BE BETTER OFF IF WE KILL HER.


SO, MS. HISA-KAWA--
--LIVING SYMBIOTICALLY IS LIKE MARRIAGE, ISN'T IT?
I'D SAY IT'S MORE LIKE BEING IN A CLUB.

Shhh
I'LL DO MY BEST TO MAKE HER HAPPY.
I'M COUNTING ON YOU.

OPERATION 28:
THE ALIEN PARTY
DEAD
KENNEDY'S

MORNIN'
DEAD
KENNEDY'S
GOOD MORNING.

--ALIEN PARTY ELECTION IS--
THE WINNER OF THE--
OTANI (11 VOTES) AND ...KAWA (2 VOTES)
--MS. YURI OTANI.
WHAAAAT?!

NONE OF YOU WANTED TO DO IT--
YOU GUYS SUCK. ALL OF YOU.
BEING IN THE ALIEN PARTY IS THE WORST JOB AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL GIRL COULD EVER GET.
--SO YOU STUCK ME WITH IT.
TO INVADE.
WHY DO THEY COME HERE?
WHAT EXACTLY IS AN ALIEN?
SO WHAT CAN WE DO?
THEY PLAN TO DESTROY OUR WORLD.

SHE'S HERE.
THE BEST.
YOU'RE THE PERFECT ALIEN FIGHTER.
YOU'RE THE BEST.
YURI, YOU LOOK SO COOL.
YOU LOOK GREAT!
WHAT A GENIUS!
YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN PROTECT US, YURI.

KILL HER.
IS...IS SHE AN ALIEN?

BVVOOO
BVVOOO
BVVOOO
THWIP
THWIP
THWIP
FFWIP

THIS IS TOO WEIRD.

YURI'S AWE-SOME.
THE COOLEST.
WOOOW! YOU KILLED HER!
YURI, YOU'RE THE GREAT-EST.
THE BEST.
YOU'RE THE BEST.
TEE HEE...
YA THINK?
HERE COMES ANOTHER ONE.
OKAY.

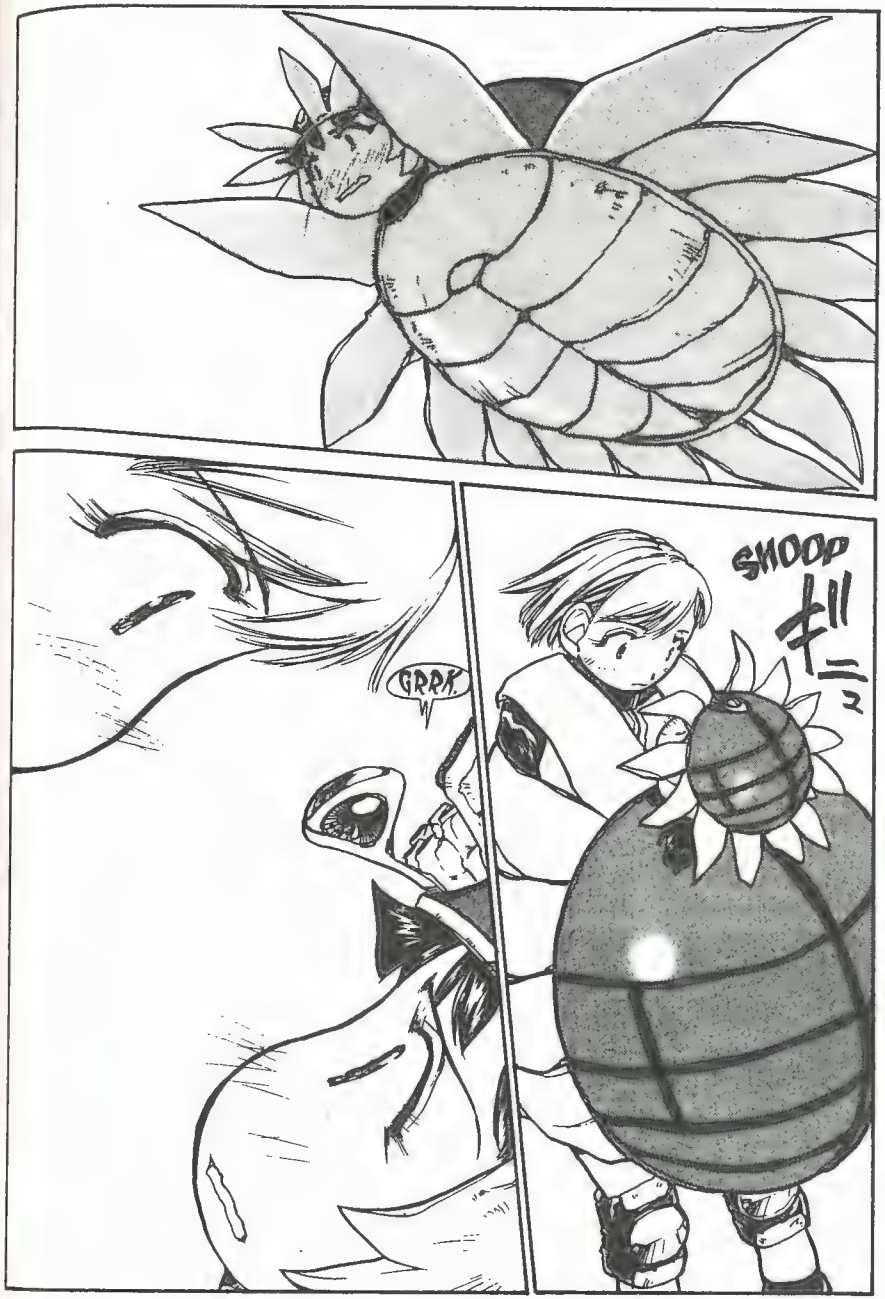
LET'S TAKE HER DOWN.
GOT IT.

BVVOOO
BVVOOO
BVVOOO
grrk
THWIP
THWIP
THWIP
FFWIP

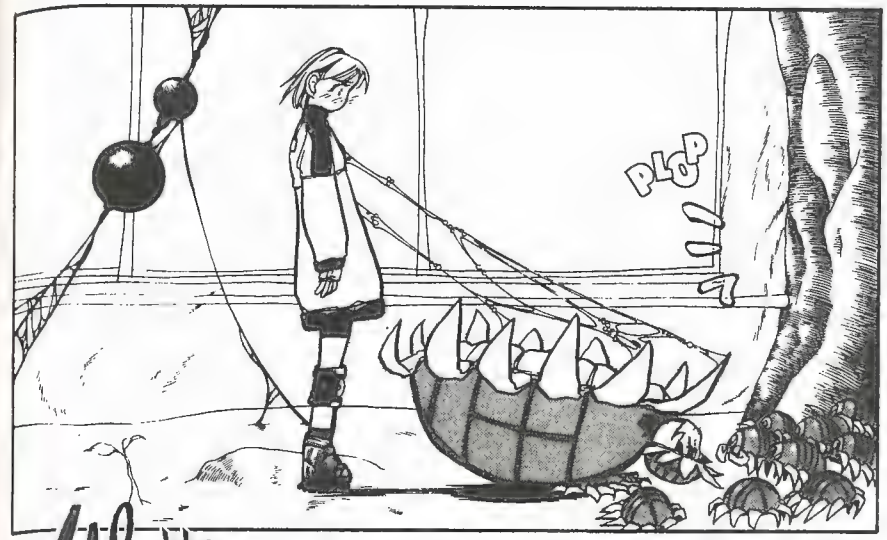
THEY'RE TRICKING YOU.
FFFp

ANOTHER ONE!
JUST KEEP ON GOING!
YURI IS OUR HERO.
YURI IS THE CENTER OF THE WORLD.
AWE-SOME!
YOU DID IT AGAIN!
YOU'RE THE BEST.

ARE YOU SURE THEY'RE ALIENS?
THERE'S NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT.

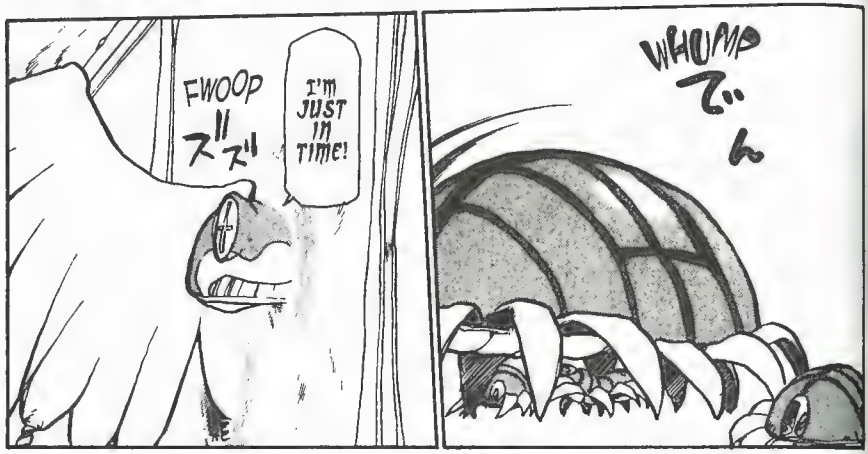

GRRK.
SHOOP

IF YOU KILL ME--
--YOU WON'T BE YURI ANYMORE.

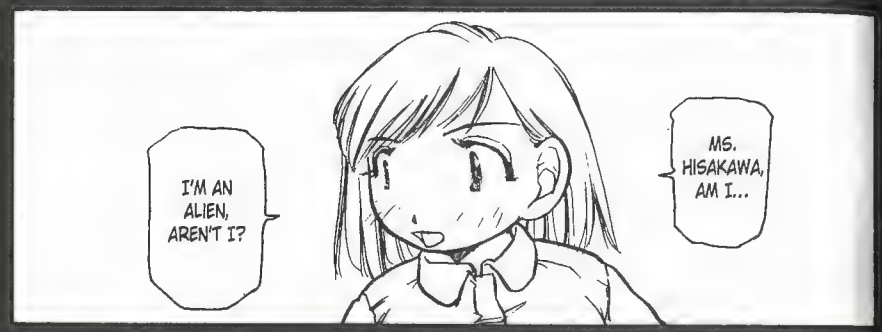

PLOP

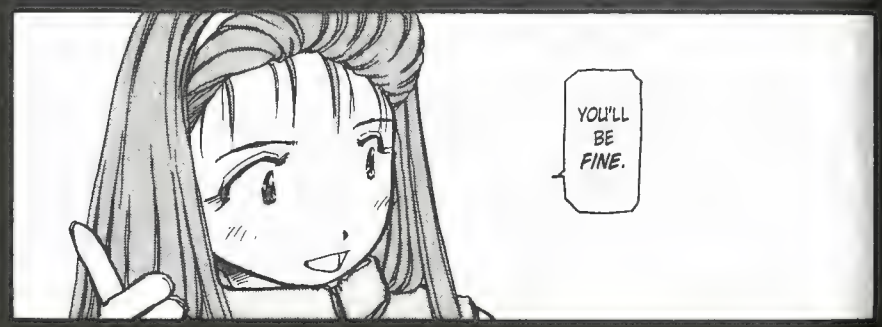
shhp
IF YOU DON'T KILL HER, WE WILL.
DON'T STOP NOW, YURI.
BUT... BUT... THIS IS WEIRD.
THEY'RE NOT ALIENS.
STOOOOP!

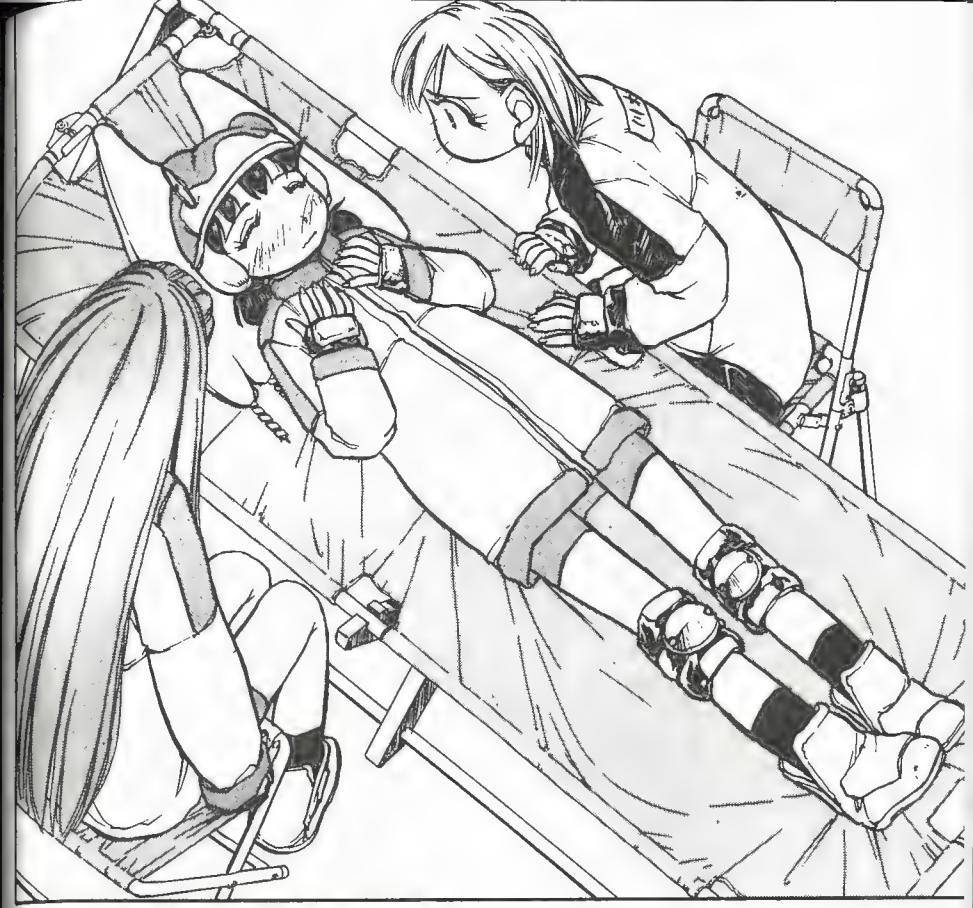
WHIP
tchp

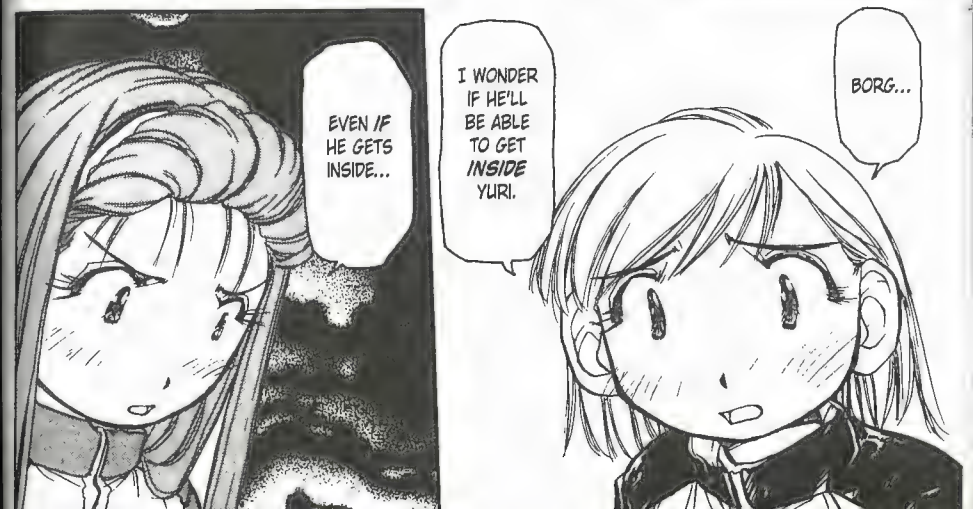

FWOOP
I'M JUST IN TIME!
WHOMP

I'M YOUR SYMBIOTIC PARTNER, YURI!
BORG.


I'M AN ALIEN, AREN'T I?
MS. HISAKAWA, AM I...

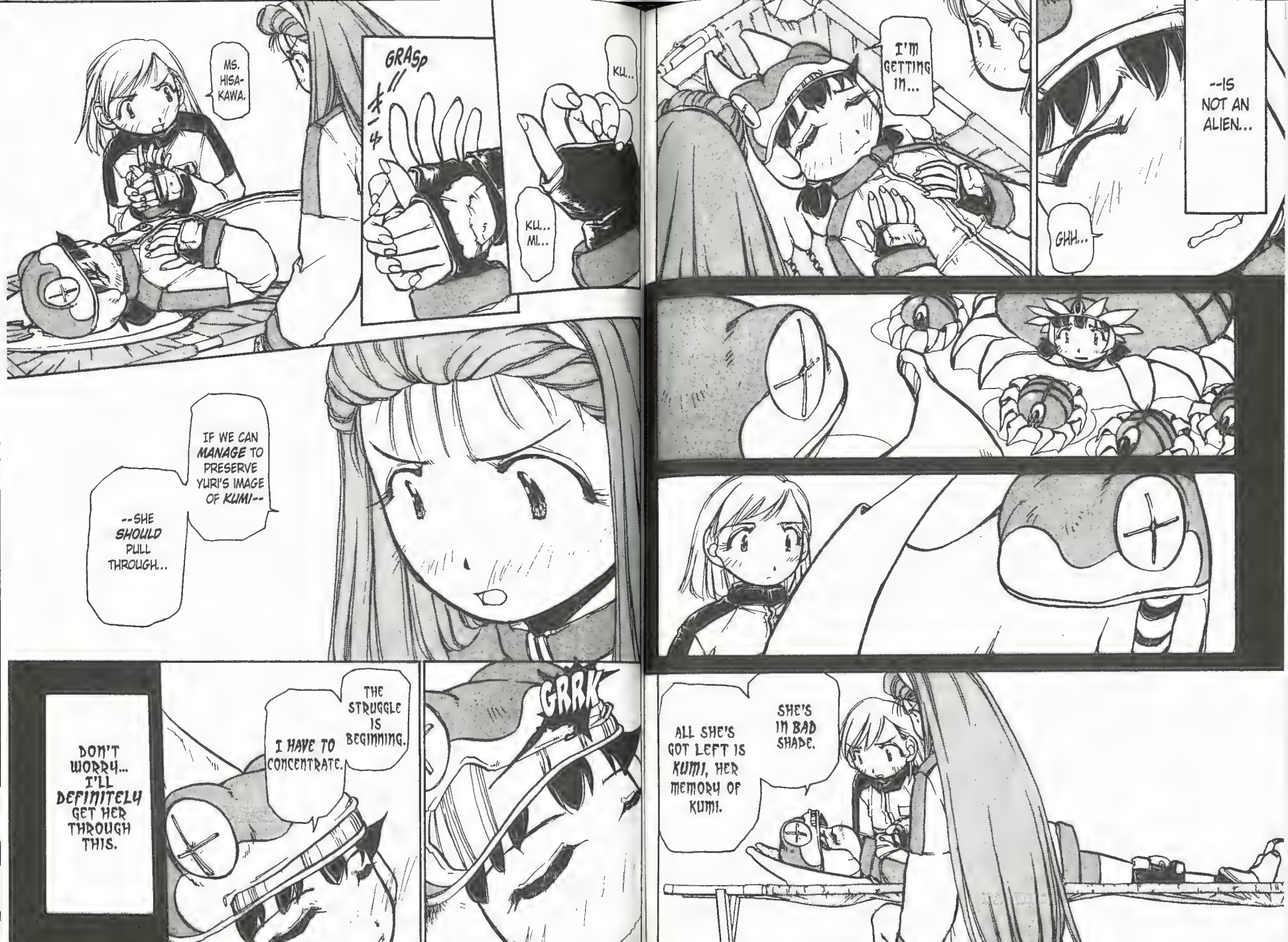

YOU'LL BE *FINE.*

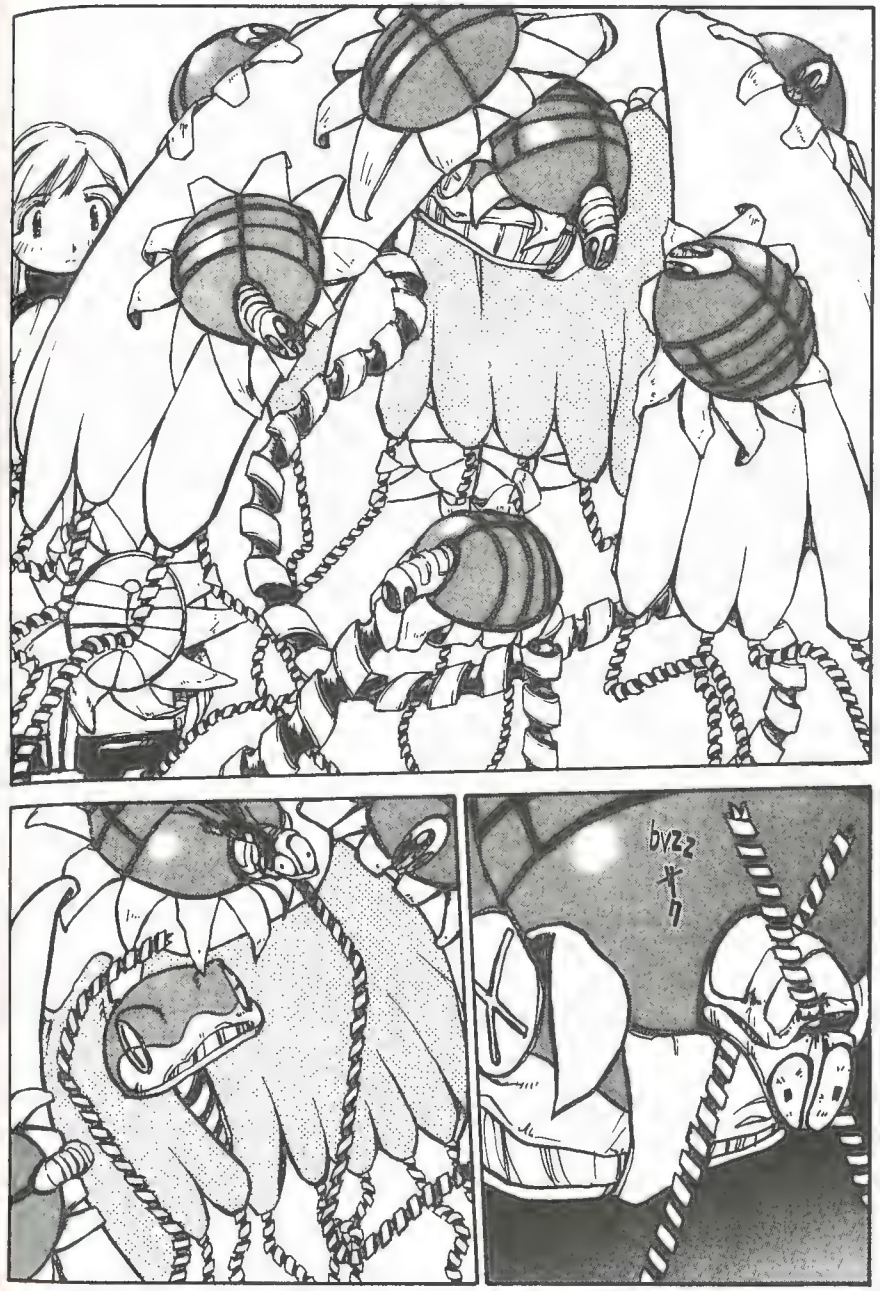



EVEN *IF* HE GETS INSIDE...
I WONDER IF HE'LL BE ABLE TO GET *INSIDE* YURI.
BORG...

OPERATION 29:
WHO AM I?

WHAT THE HECK IS THAT?
AND THAT GIRL BEHIND HIM IS AN ALIEN TOO.
IT'S AN ALIEN.
THE BOSS.
BUT THE GIRL BEHIND HIM IS--
SO WE HAVE TO KILL THEM.


MS. HISA-KAWA.
GRASP
KU...
KU... MI...
IF WE CAN MANAGE TO PRESERVE YURI'S IMAGE OF KUMI--
--SHE SHOULD PULL THROUGH...
DON'T WORRY... I'LL DEFINITELY GET HER THROUGH THIS.
I HAVE TO CONCENTRATE.
THE STRUGGLE IS BEGINNING.
GRRK
I'M GETTING IN...
GHH...
--IS NOT AN ALIEN...
ALL SHE'S GOT LEFT IS KUMI, HER MEMORY OF KUMI.
SHE'S IN BAD SHAPE.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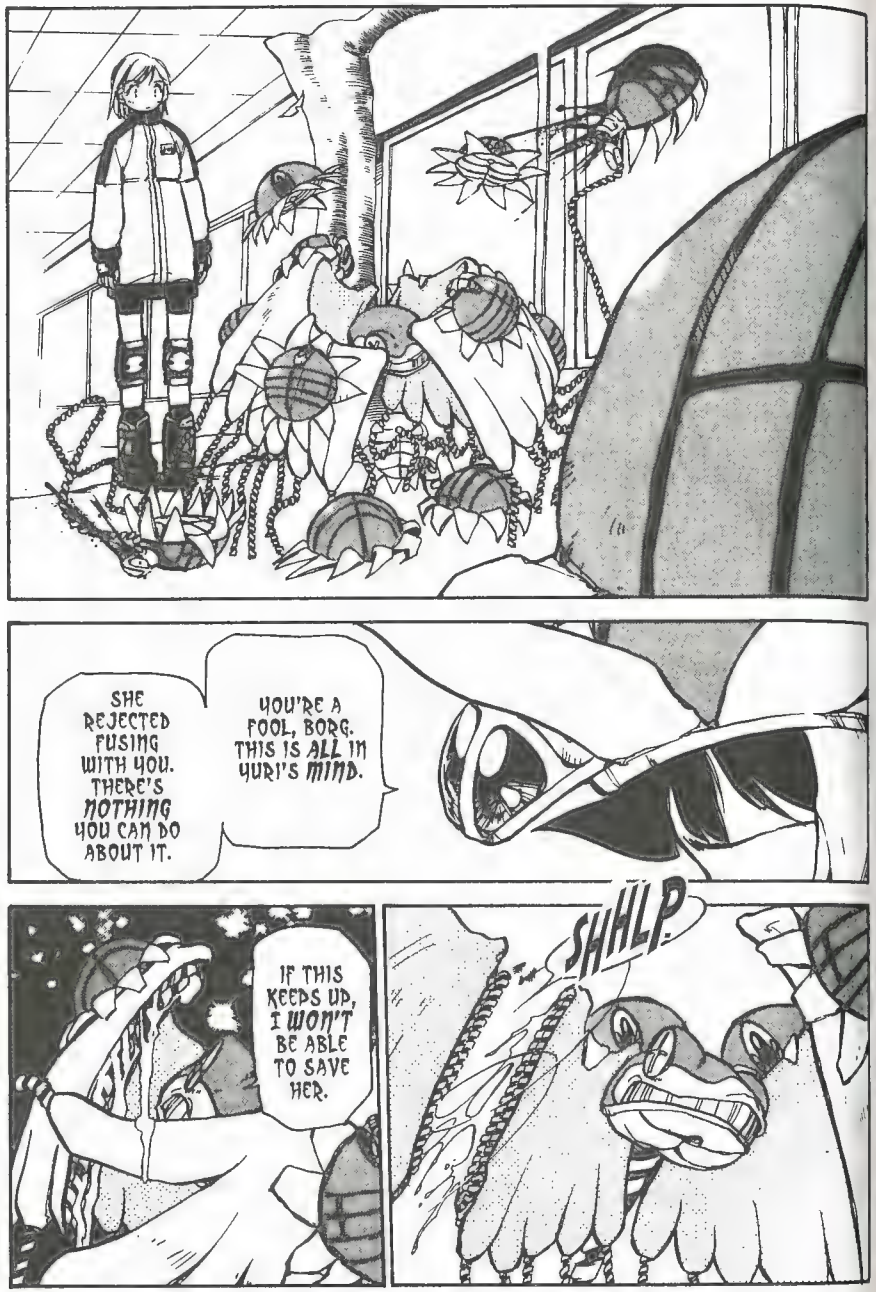
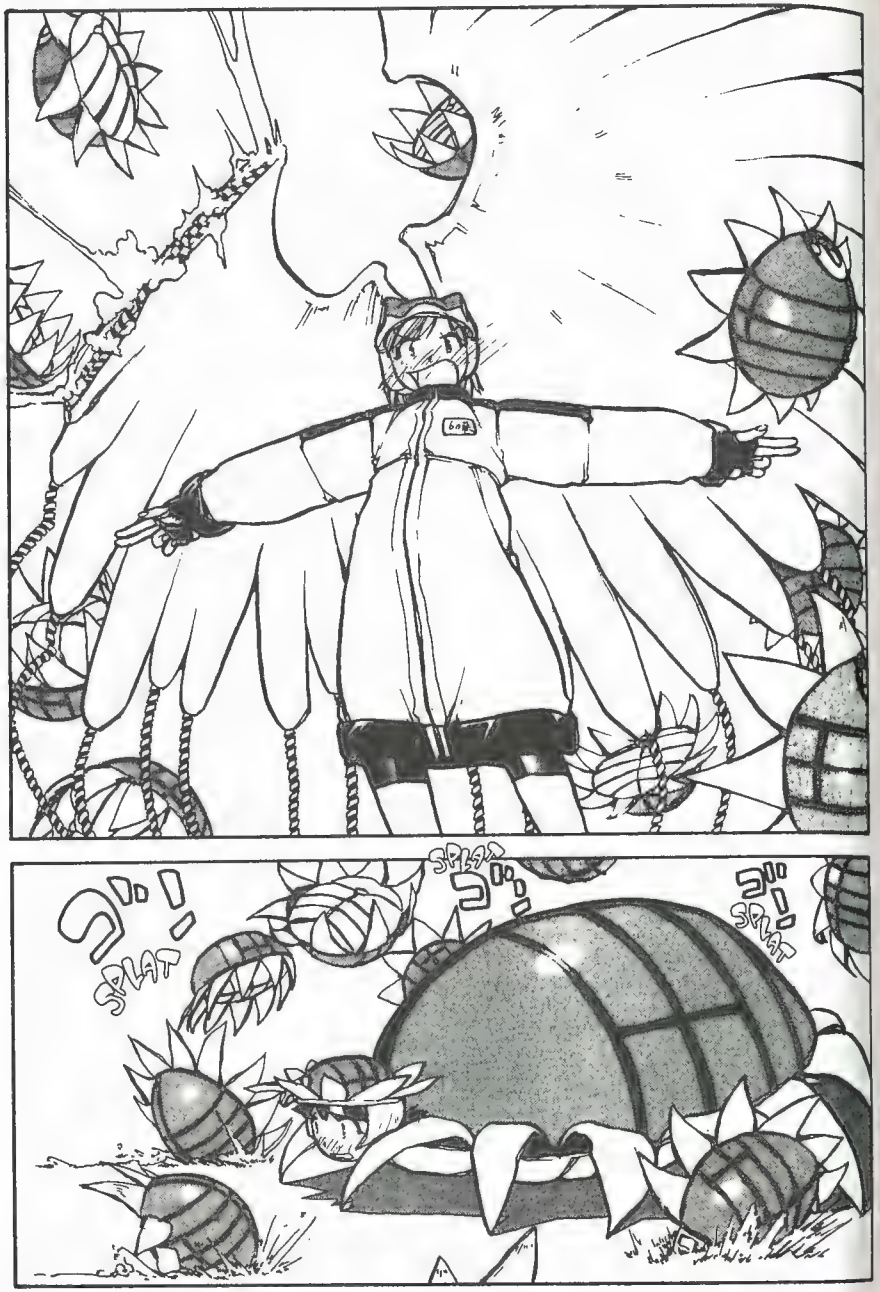

SHE REJECTED FUSING WITH YOU. THERE'S NOTHING YOU CAN DO ABOUT IT.
YOU'RE A FOOL, BORG. THIS IS ALL IN YURI'S MIND.
IF THIS KEEPS UP, I WON'T BE ABLE TO SAVE HER.
SHHLP

SNAP
CRUNCH
I NEED HELP.
DON'T YOU WANT TO SAVE YURI?
SSK
SSK
SSK


SPLAT
SPLAT
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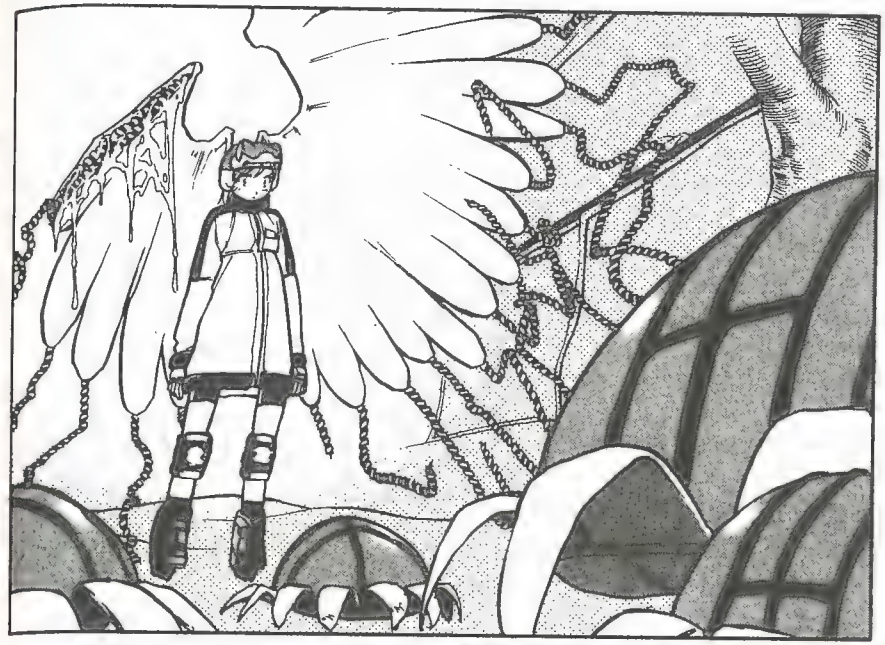
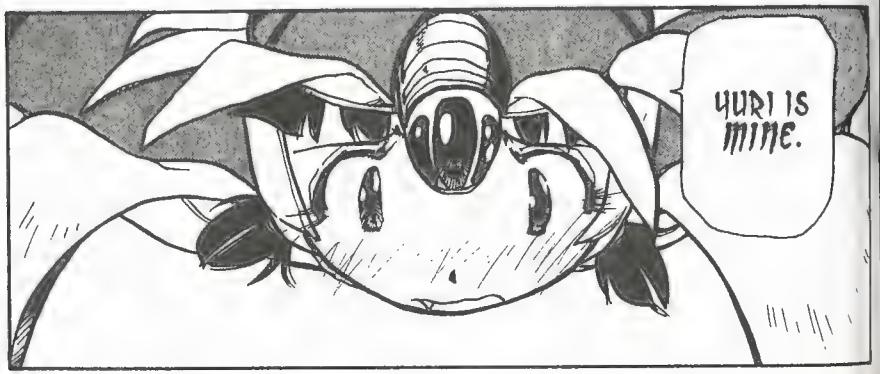
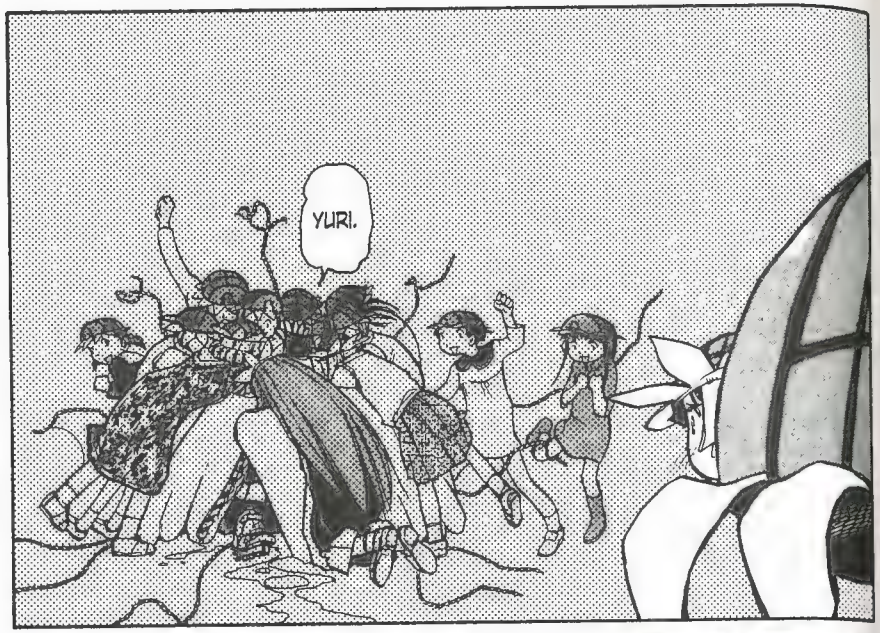


NO MATTER WHAT YOU DO, IT'S A LONELY BATTLE.

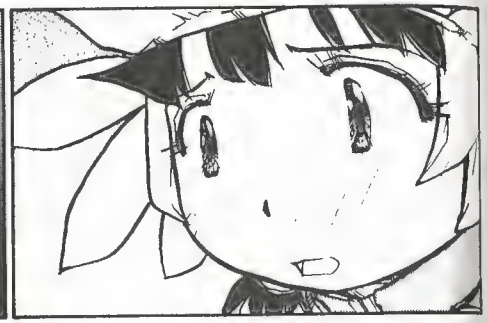
BLUP
BLUP


YURI IS MINE.

BUU
BUU
BUU

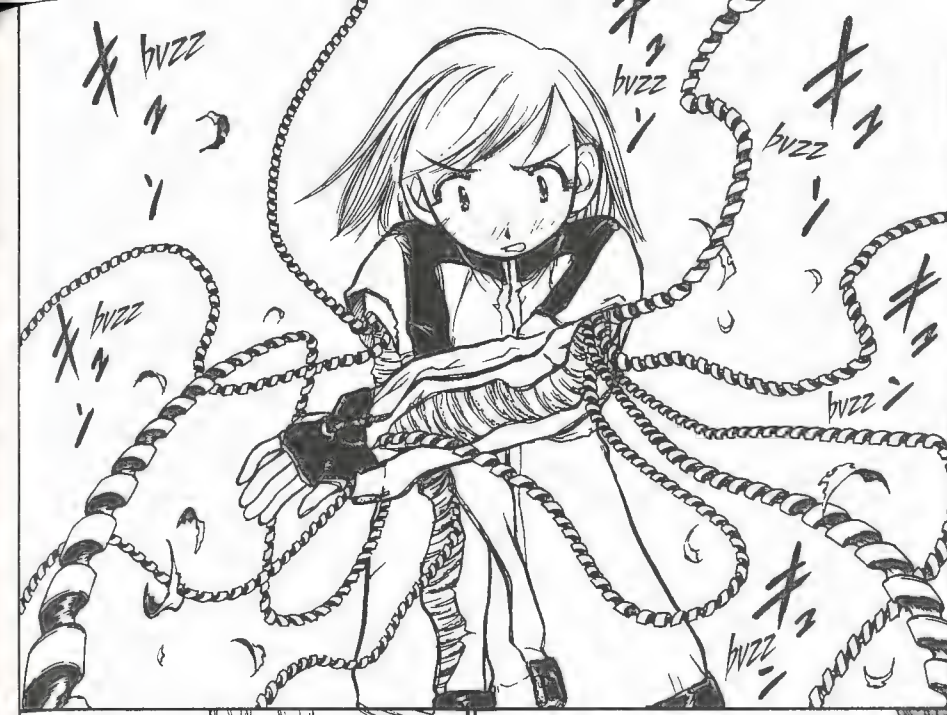

YURI.

YURI.



KUMI.

KU...
KU...


buzz
buzz
buzz
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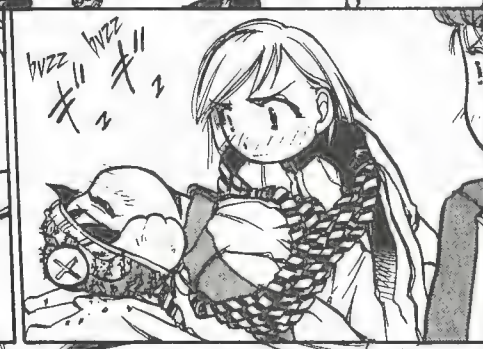
buzz
buzz

HANG ON, YURI!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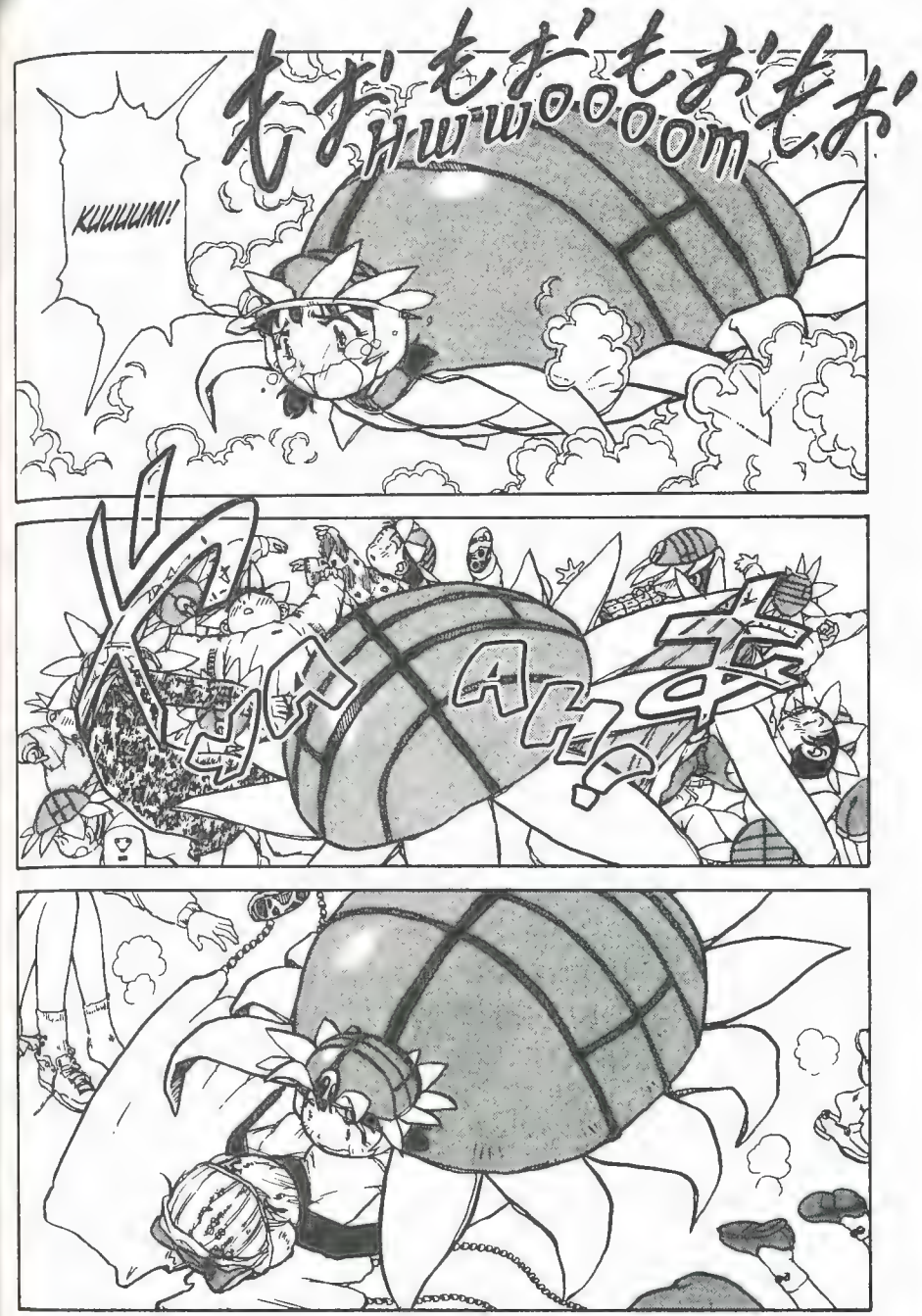
buzz

DON'T FORGET ME.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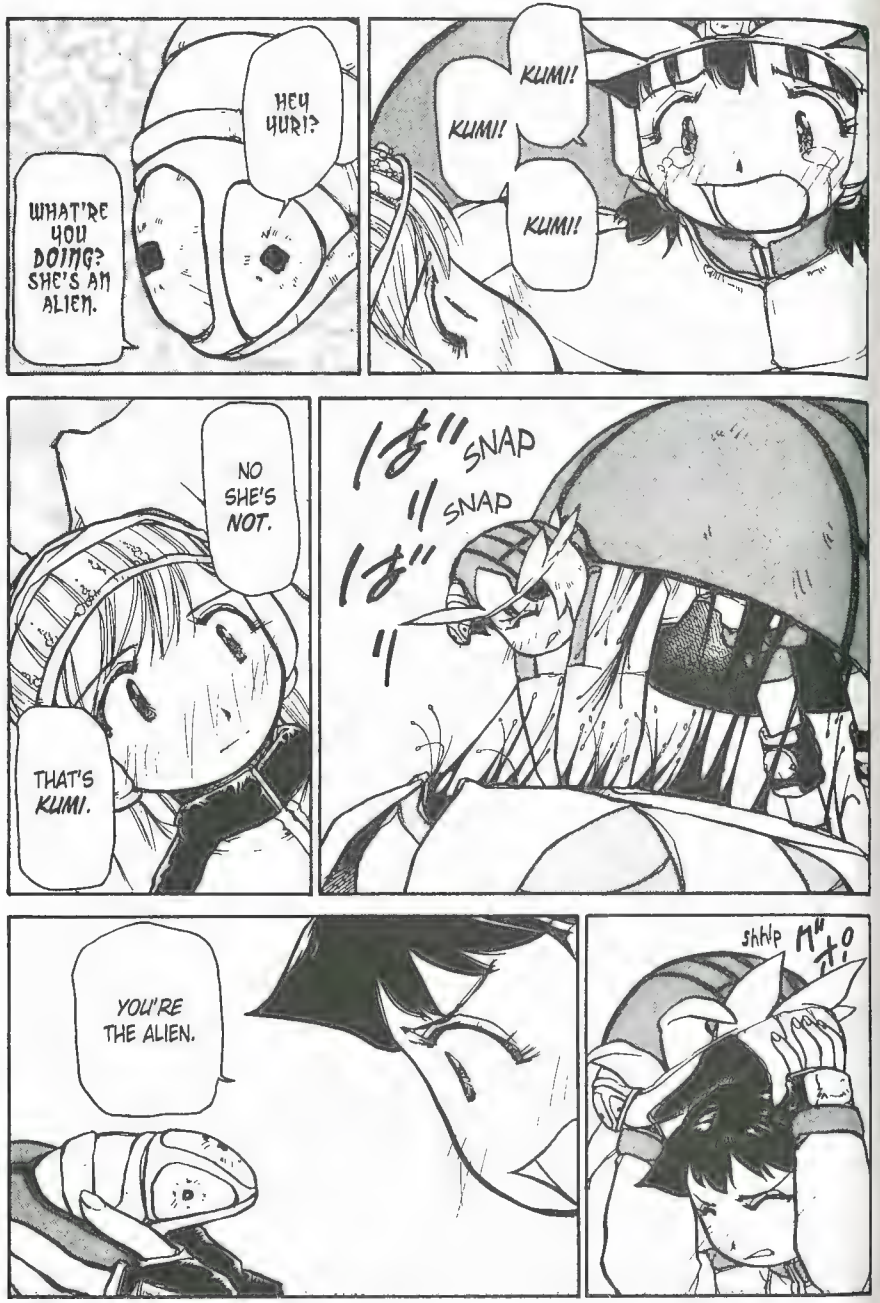
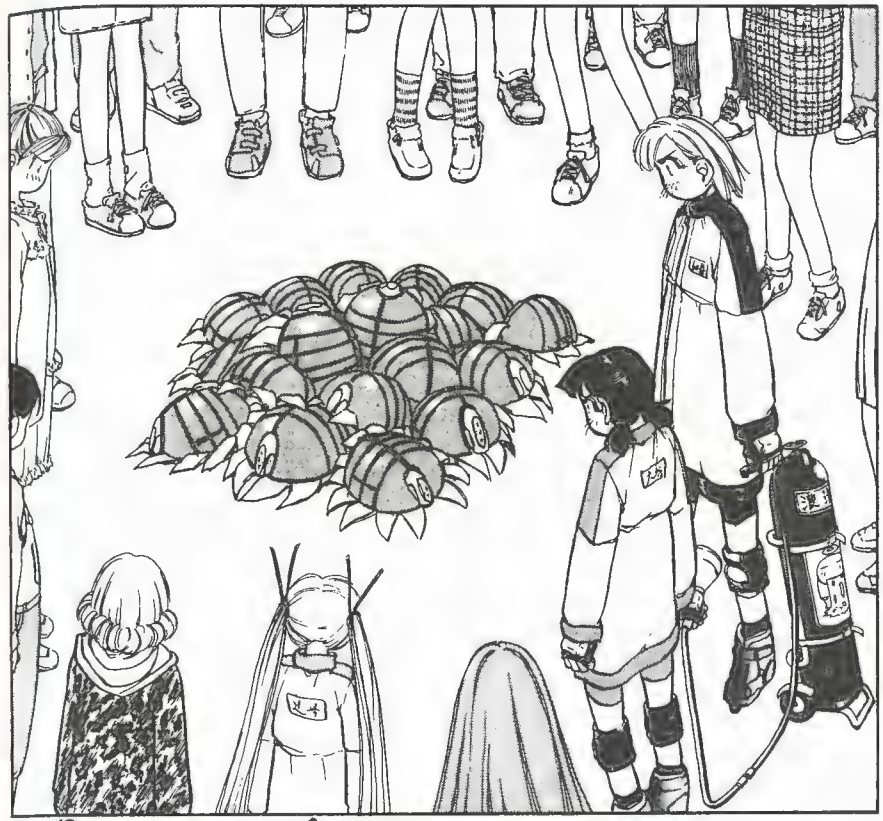
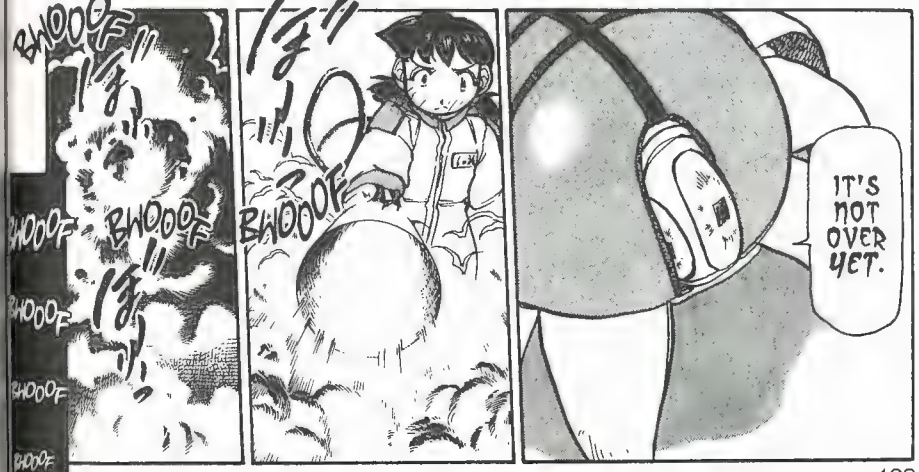
Hu-u-o-o-o-m
KUUUUMI!


HEY YURI?
WHAT'RE YOU DOING? SHE'S AN ALIEN.
KUMI!
KUMI!
KUMI!
NO SHE'S NOT.
THAT'S KUMI.
ば" SNAP
" SNAP
ば"
YOU'RE THE ALIEN.
shhp
Hm
+!0

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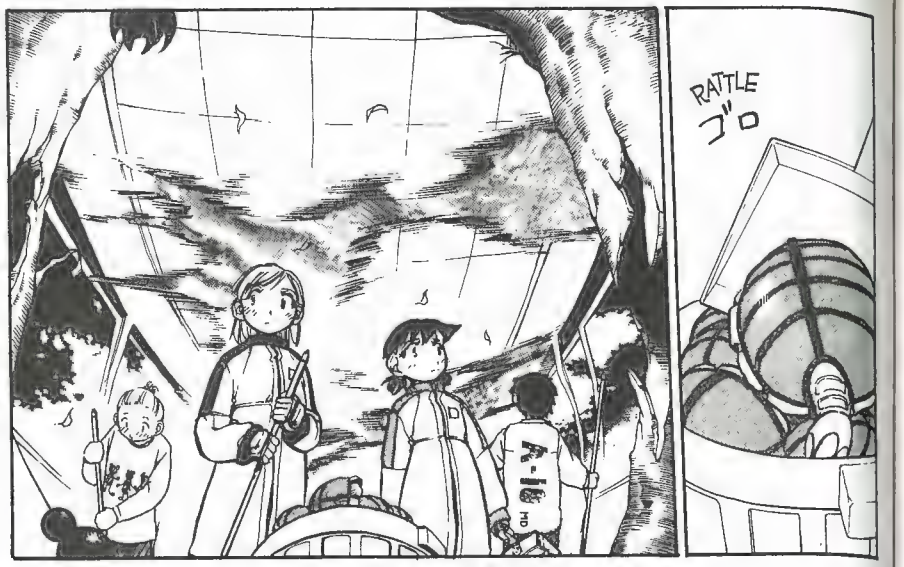
IT'S NOT OVER YET.


RATTLE
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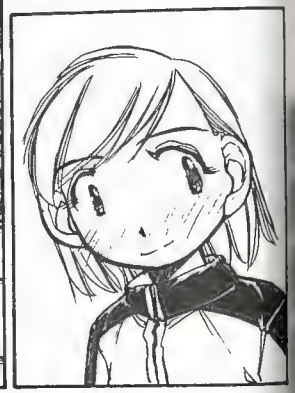
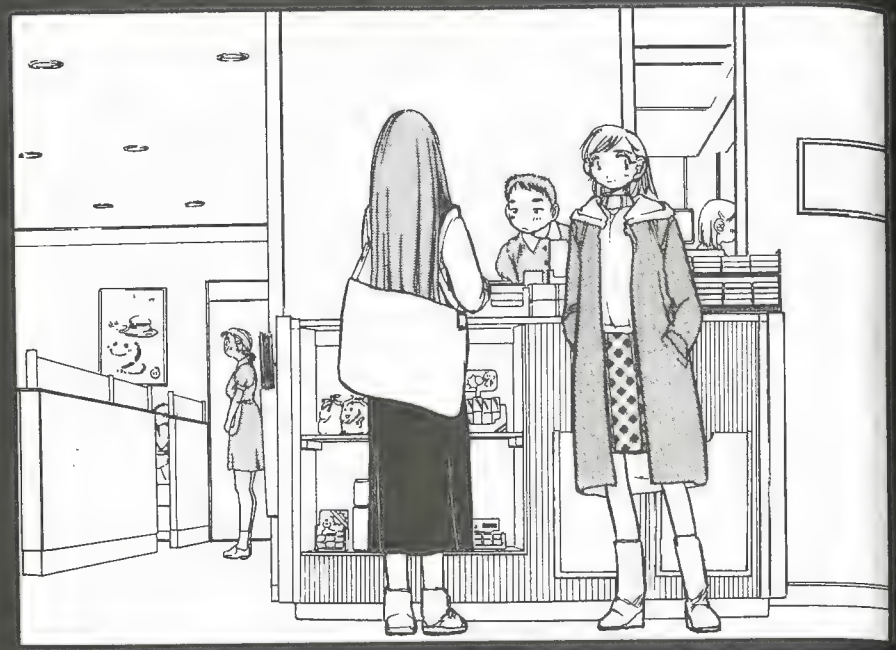
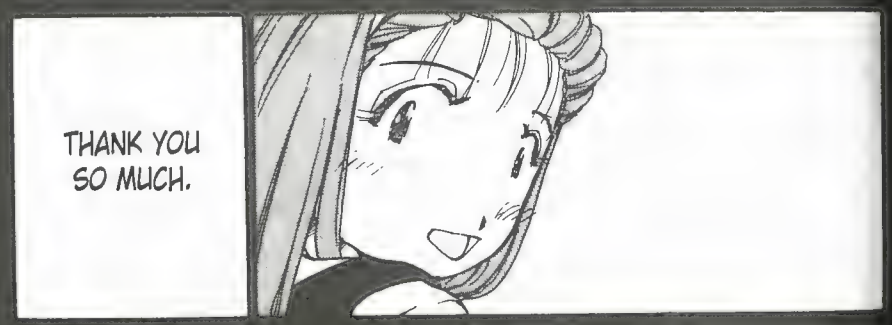
WE'LL GET THROUGH THIS TOGETHER.
YOU'LL BE FINE.

HEY, KUMI?
YA THINK I'M BACK TO NORMAL?



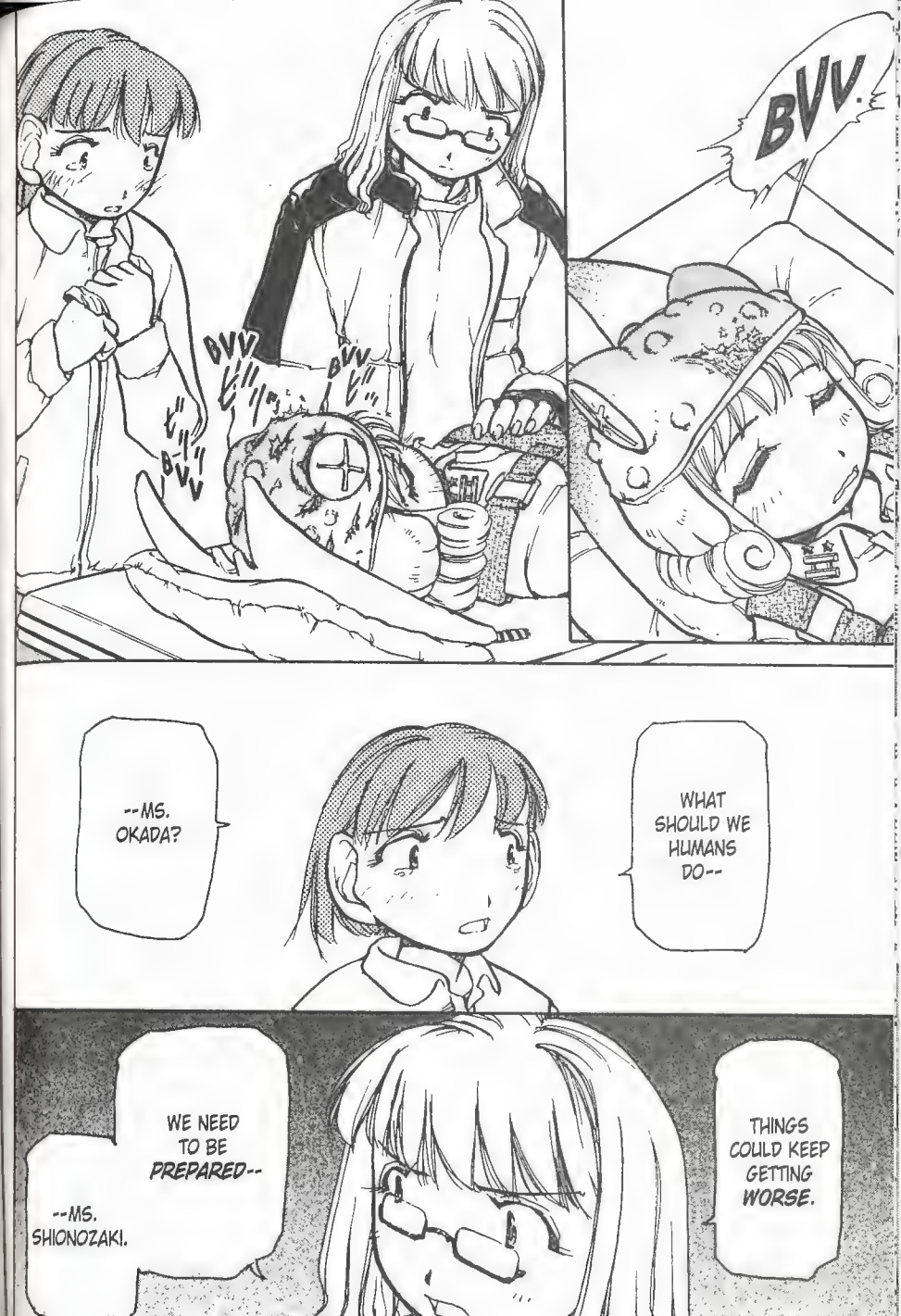


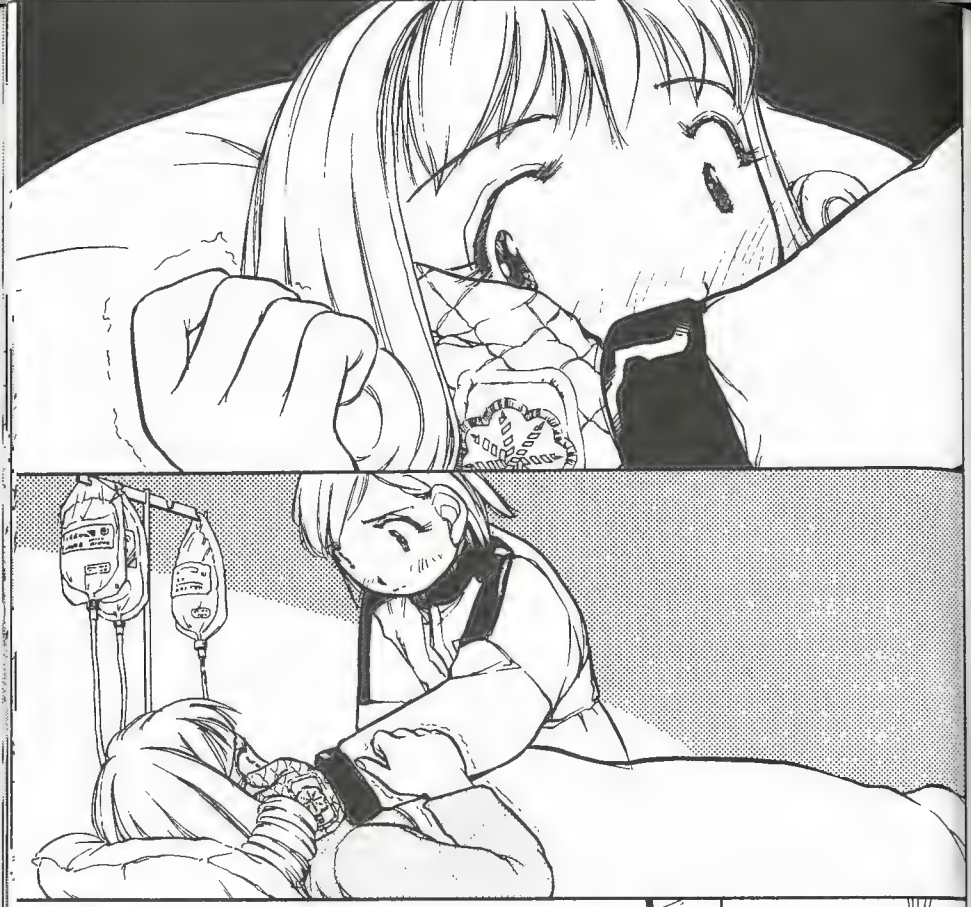

THANK YOU SO MUCH.

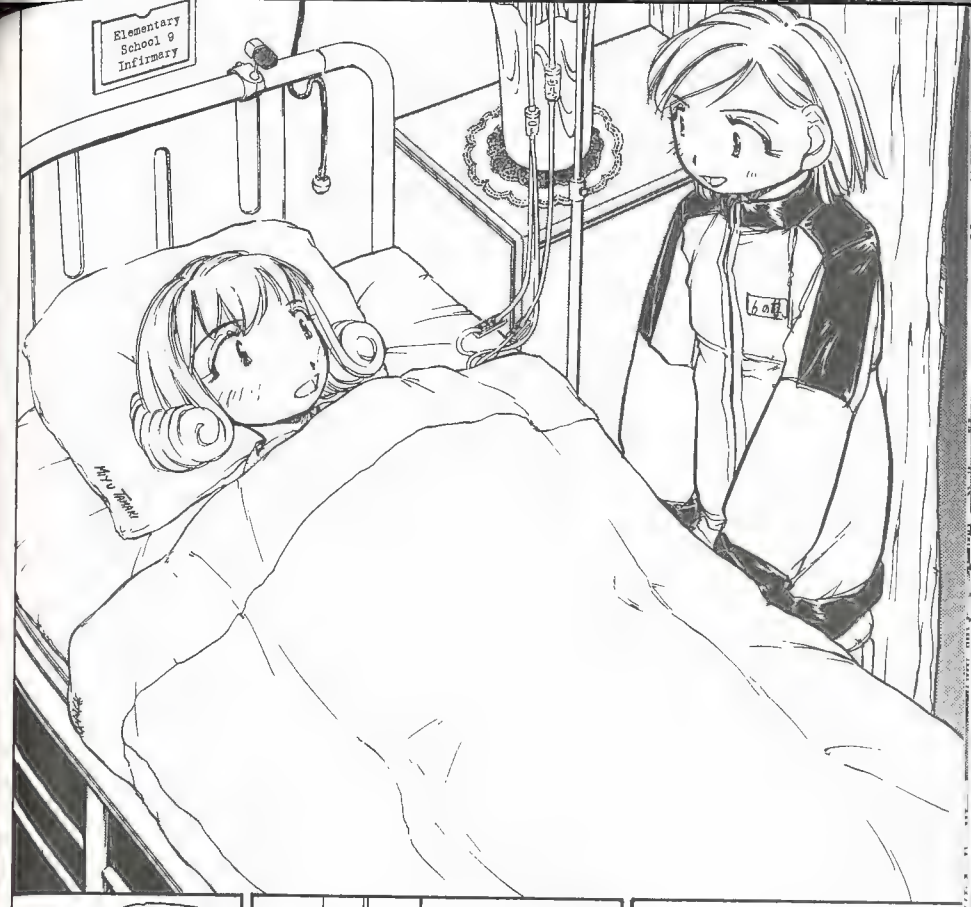
GAAH!

OPERATION 30: BACK TO NORMAL

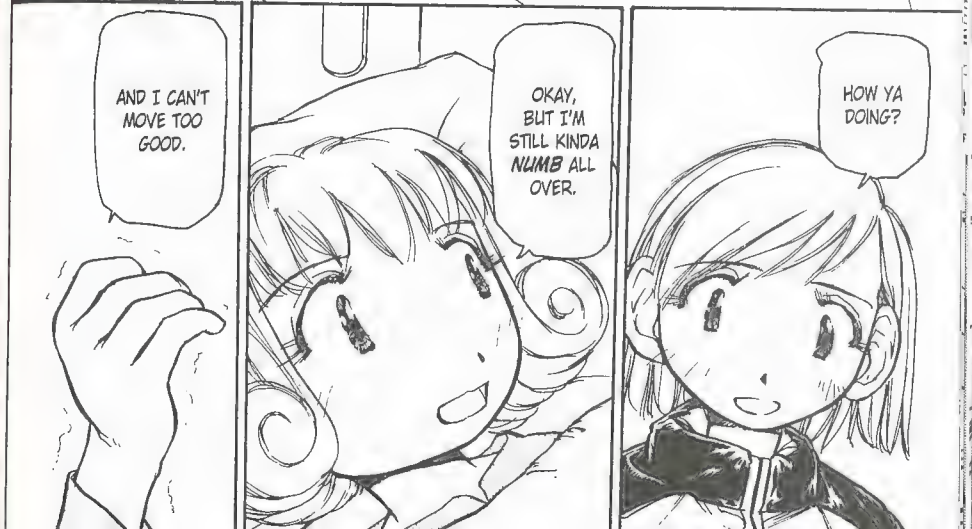
THAT FEELS GOOD.
YEAH.
I'M GLAD YURI'S BACK TO NORMAL.
shhhp
shhhp

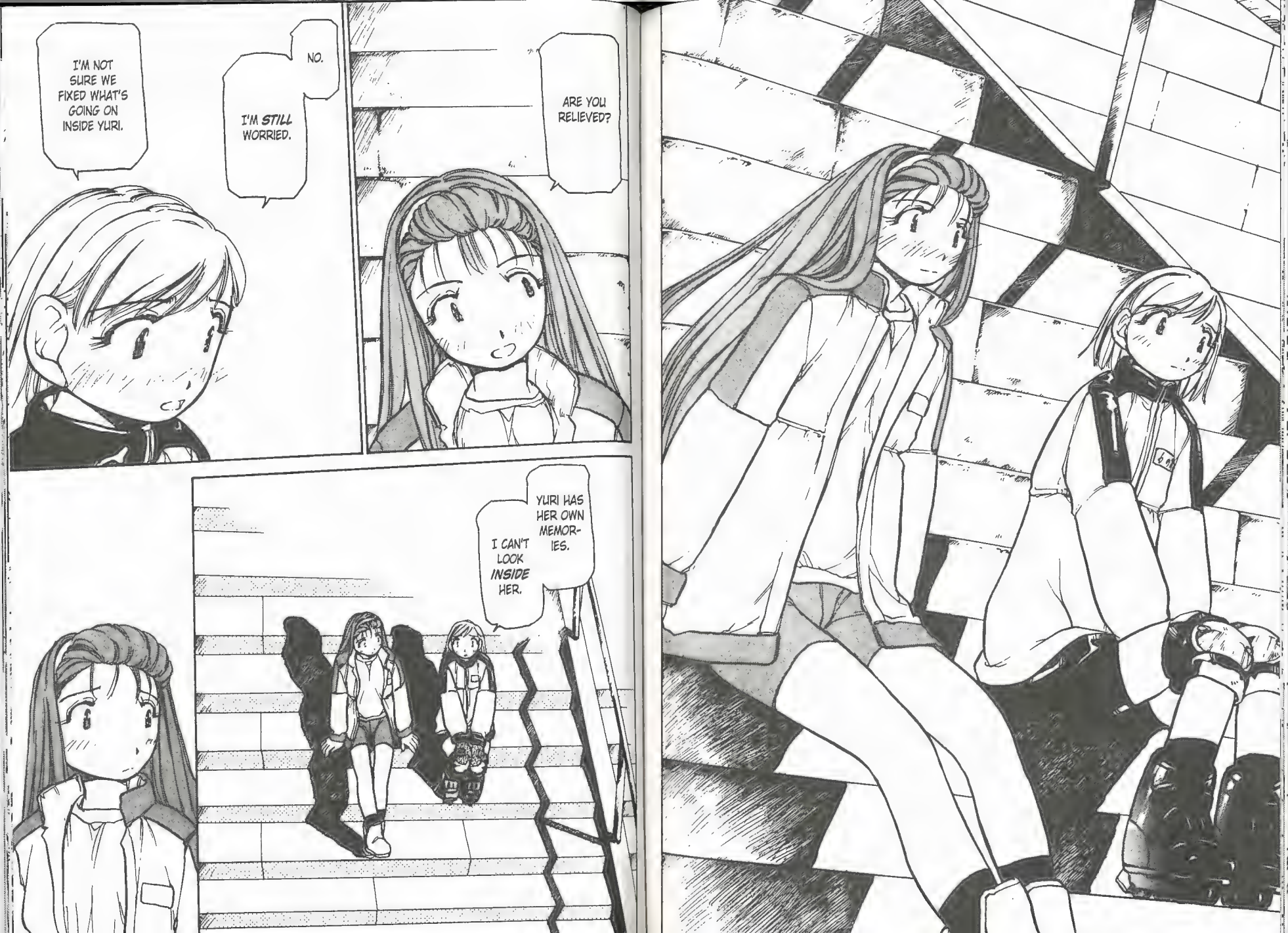

BVV.
BVV
BVV
BVV
--MS. OKADA?
WHAT SHOULD WE HUMANS DO--
--MS. SHIONOZAKI.
WE NEED TO BE PREPARED--
THINGS COULD KEEP GETTING WORSE.



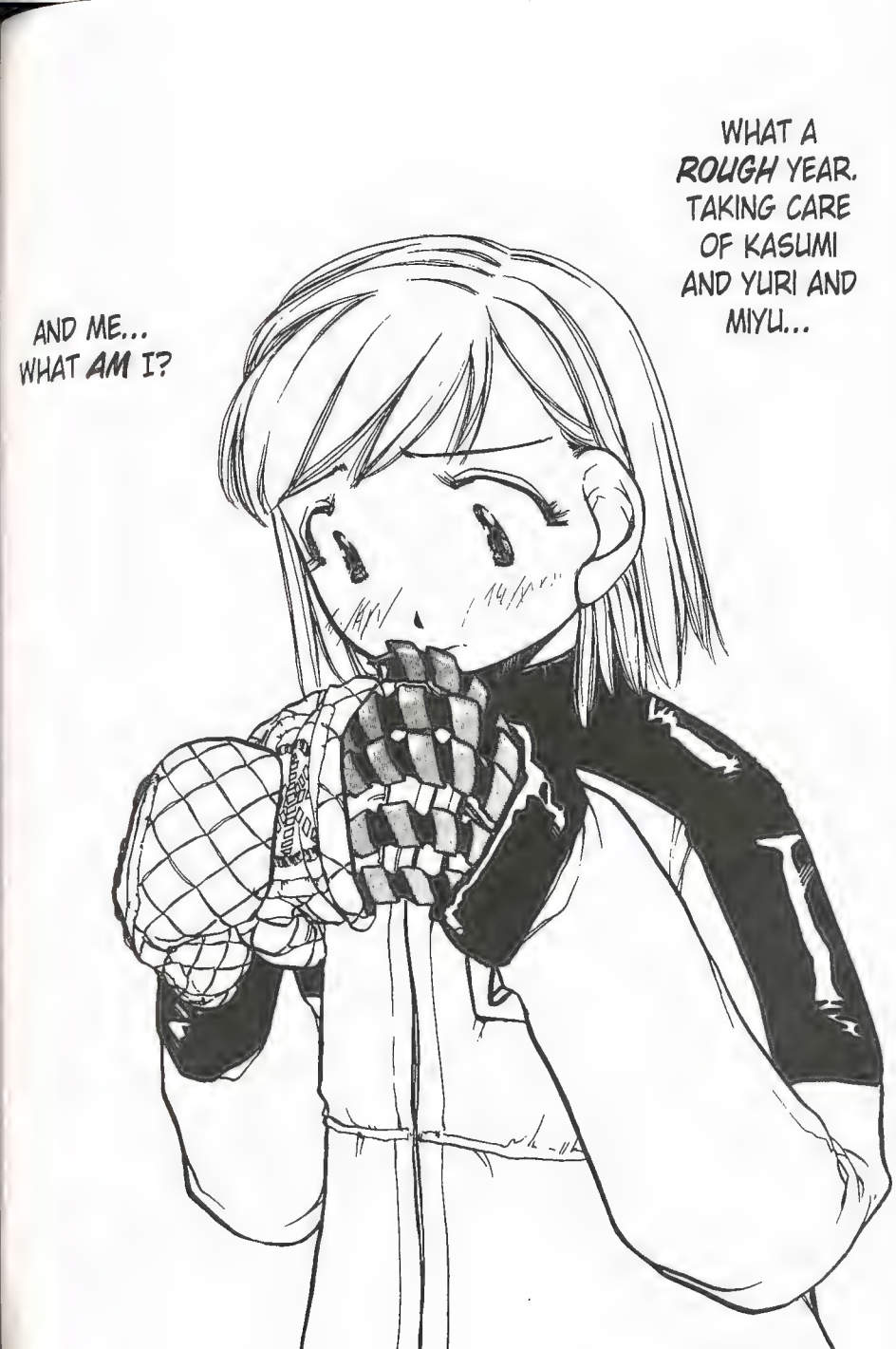

Elementary
School 9
Infirmary
Miyu Hara

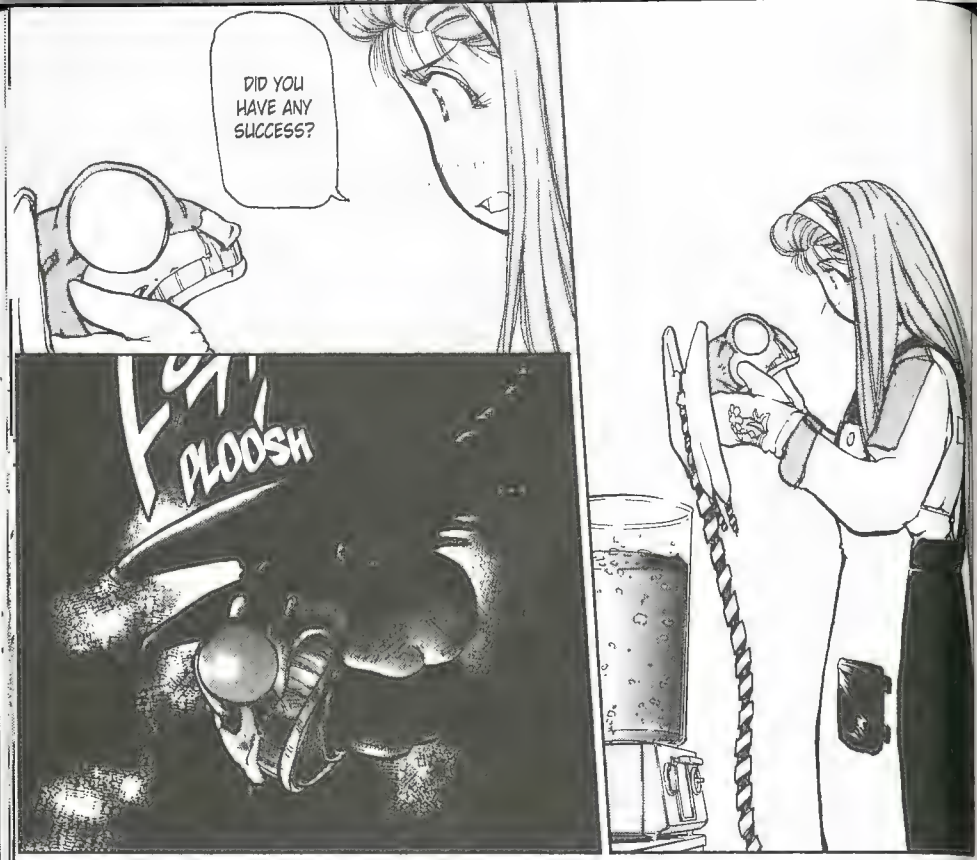
KUMI...
WHAT ARE YOU GONNA DO?
SO I CAN PICK ANY JUNIOR HIGH I WANT.
GUESS WHAT?! THE CAMELLIA CLASS DOESN'T HAVE TO TAKE THE ENTRANCE EXAM THIS YEAR!

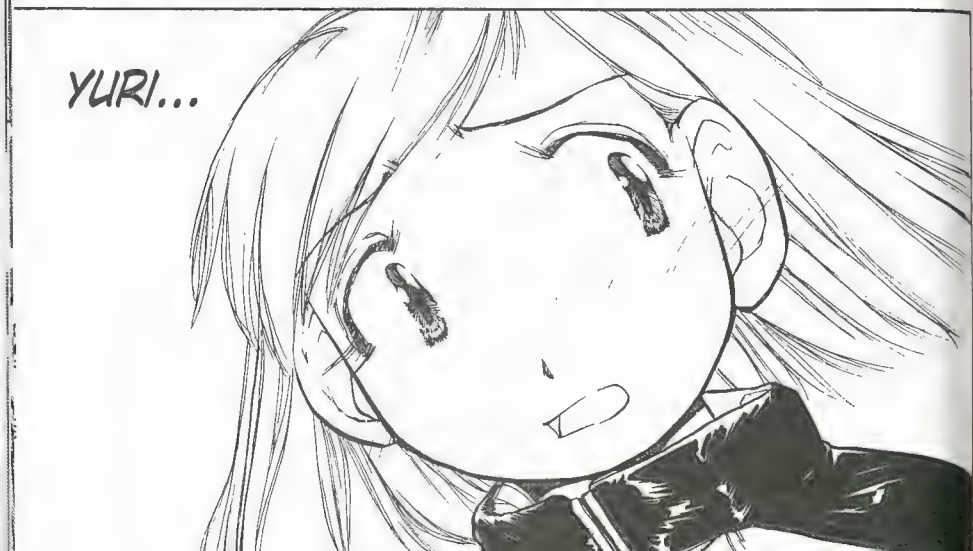

AND I CAN'T MOVE TOO GOOD.
OKAY, BUT I'M STILL KINDA NUMB ALL OVER.
HOW YA DOING?

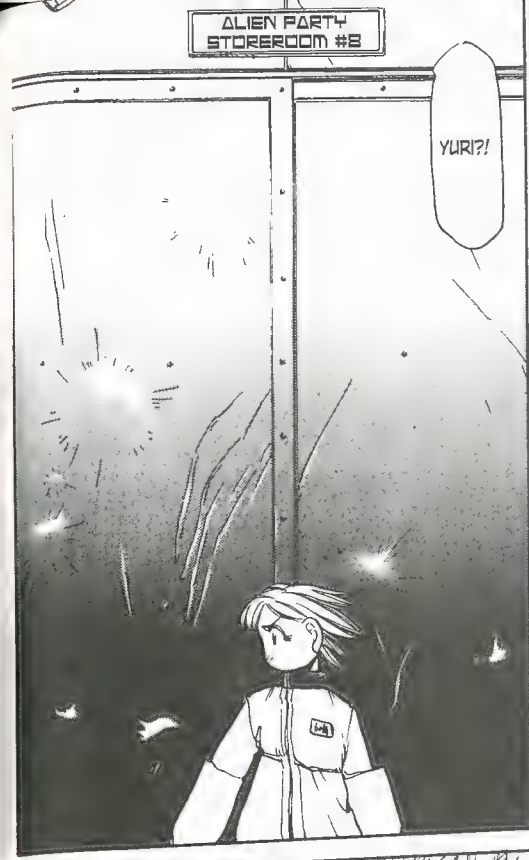

I'M NOT SURE WE FIXED WHAT'S GOING ON INSIDE YURI.
NO.
I'M *STILL* WORRIED.
ARE YOU RELIEVED?
I CAN'T LOOK *INSIDE* HER.
YURI HAS HER OWN MEMORIES.

EVERY-ONE'S FINE.
shoop
HEY YURI...
YURI?


WHAT A ROUGH YEAR. TAKING CARE OF KASUMI AND YURI AND MIYU...
AND ME... WHAT AM I?


DID YOU HAVE ANY SUCCESS?
FLOOSH


YURI...


ALIEN PARTY STOREROOM #8
YURI?!

YURI?

YURI?!

I'M WORRIED ABOUT YOU.
WHAT'S WRONG, YURI?
YURI?
I'M JUST REMEM-BERING...
OH... UHH...
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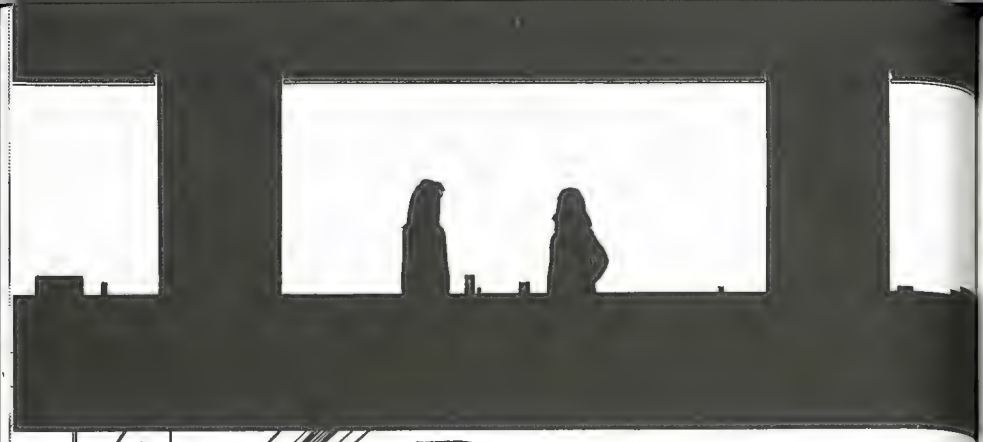
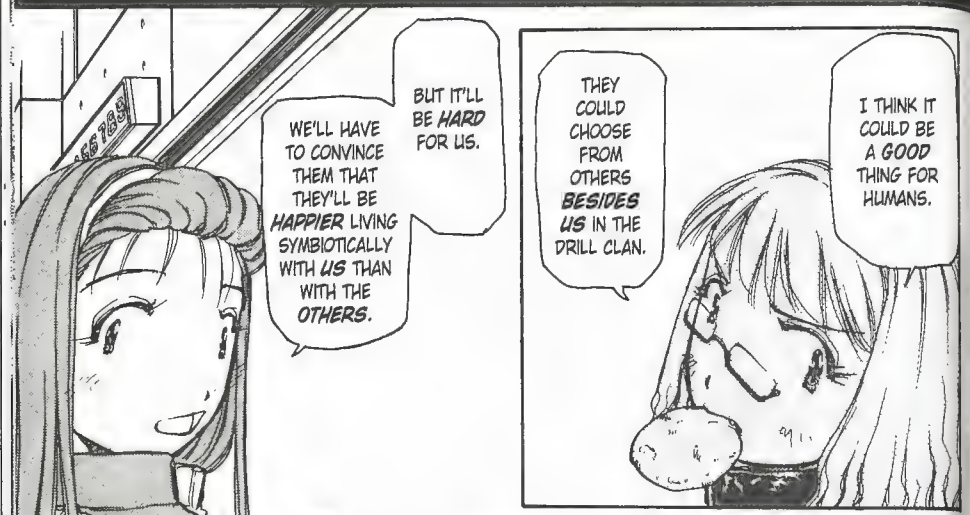
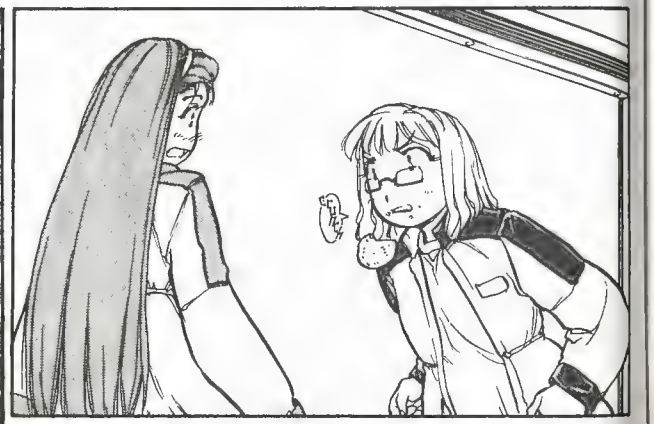
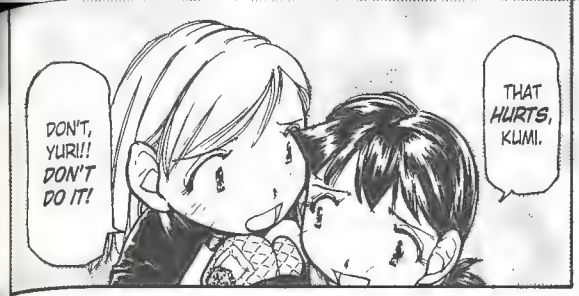



WE'LL HAVE TO CONVINCE THEM THAT THEY'LL BE HAPPIER LIVING SYMBIOTICALLY WITH US THAN WITH THE OTHERS.
BUT IT'LL BE HARD FOR US.

THEY COULD CHOOSE FROM OTHERS BESIDES US IN THE DRILL CLAN.
I THINK IT COULD BE A GOOD THING FOR HUMANS.

OKAY...
THEN YOU'D BETTER GET IT TOGETHER.




DON'T, YURI!! DON'T DO IT!
THAT HURTS, KUMI.

Squeeze

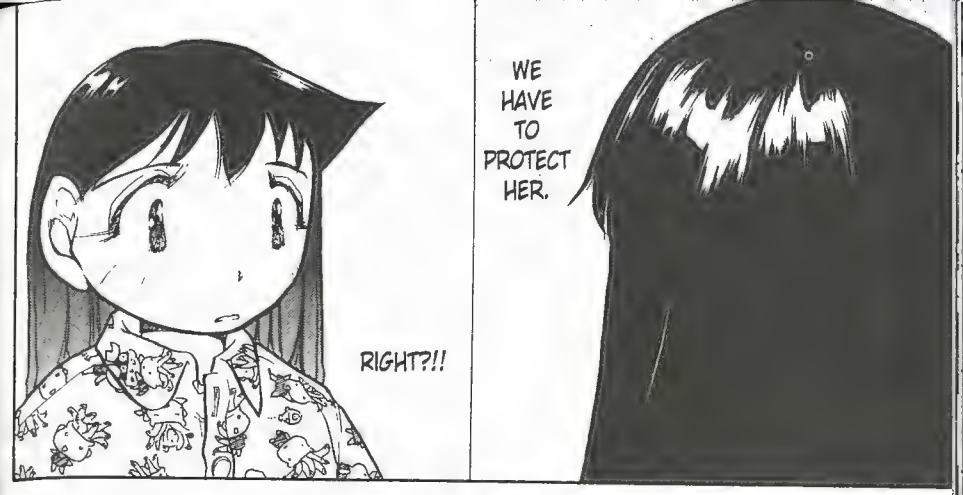
POP
POP
POP
POP
POP

POP

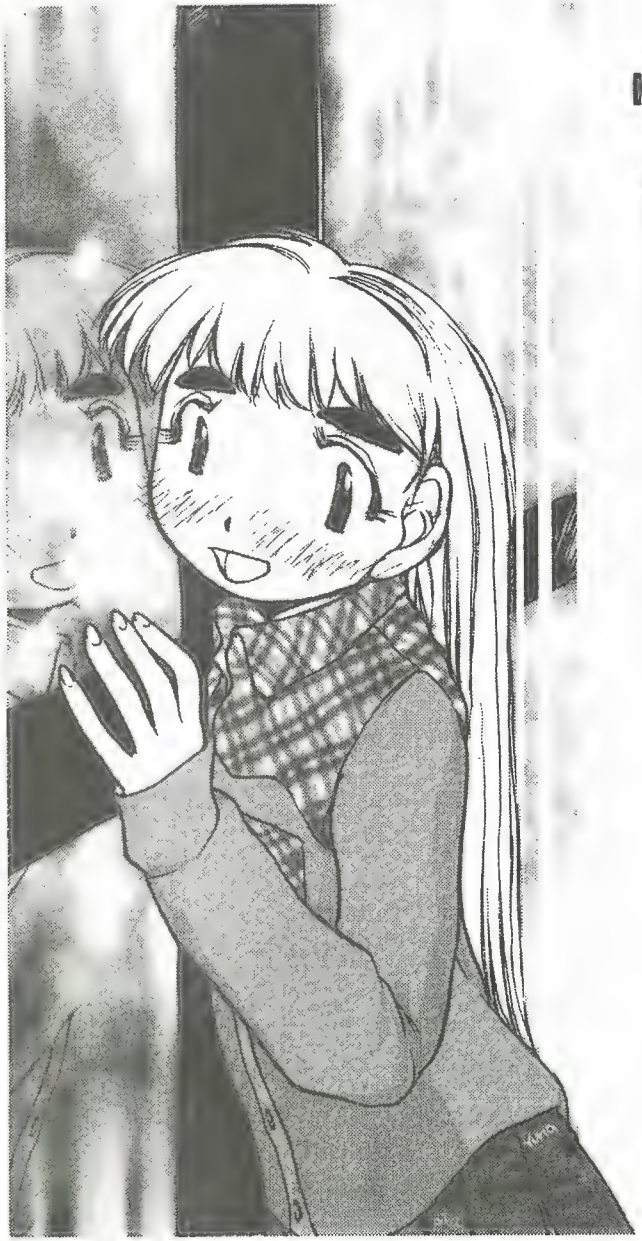
GET UP OR WE'LL BE LATE.
HEY YURI, YOU GONNA SLEEP ALL DAY?
MMMM... JUST A FEW MORE MINUTES.
YURI'S JUST AN ORDINARY HUMAN.
THERE'S NO POINT GETTING MAD.

Spring...
PIPIPI
カチカチ
tnk tnk

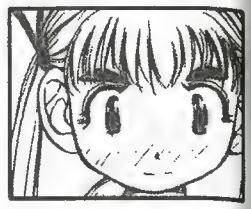
STARRING
Hitomi Tachibana
as
Yuri Otani
I WAS SO EXCITED ABOUT MY FIRST LEADING ROLE. BY THE WAY, I'M NOT AS DUMB AS YURI.


RIGHT?!!
WE HAVE TO PROTECT HER.

IT'S CURLING.
ALIEN NINE #3 THE END.

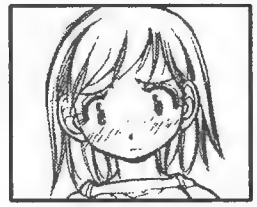


Satiko Oda as Kasumi Tomine



ACTUALLY, I'M A LOT LIKE THE YURI CHARACTER. AT FIRST IT WAS A DRAG 'CAUSE I HAD TO SHAVE MY EYEBROWS, BUT I ENDED UP ENJOYING IT ALL.

Tukasa Goto as Kumi Kawamura



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ALIEN NINE SKETCHBOOK

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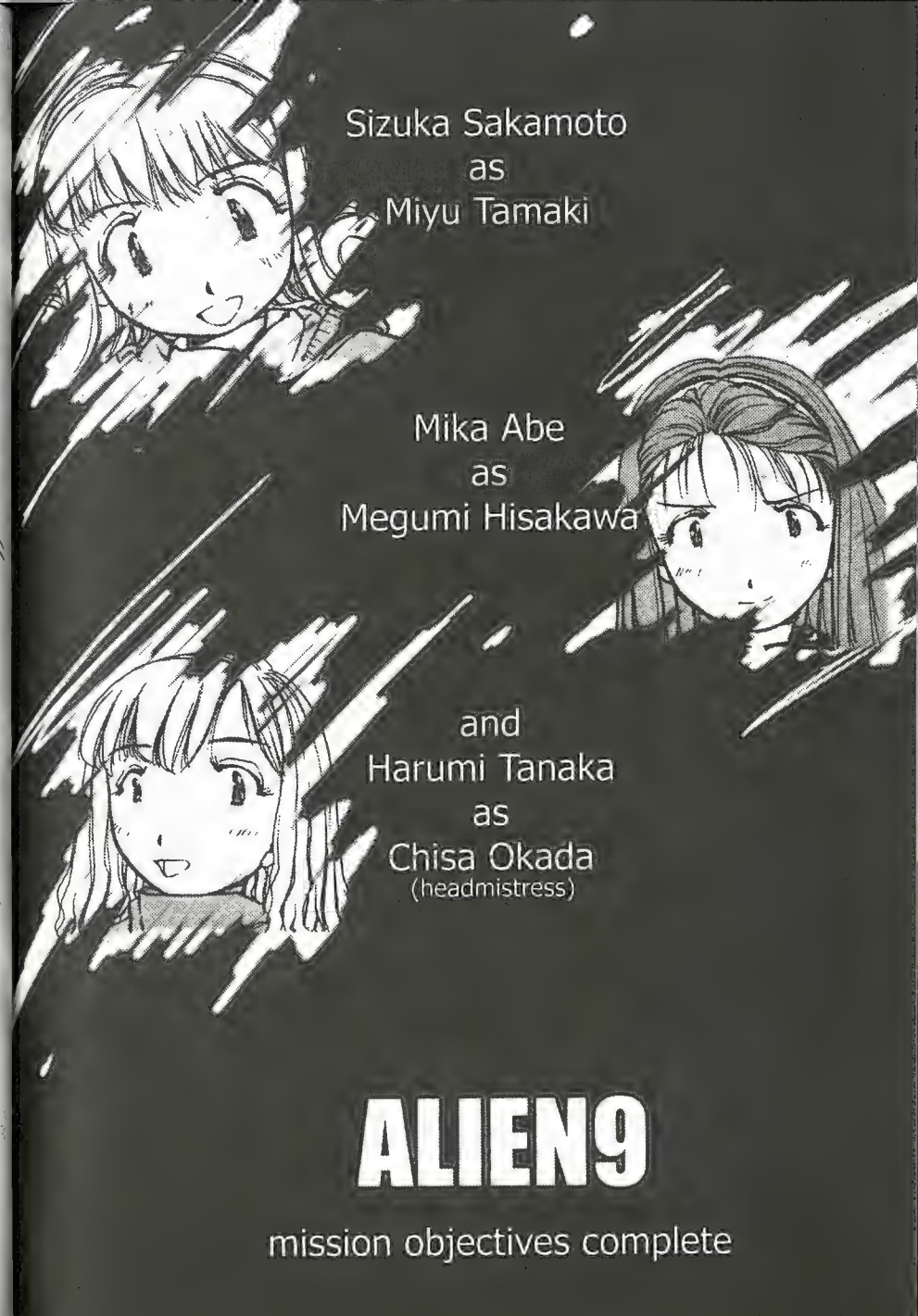

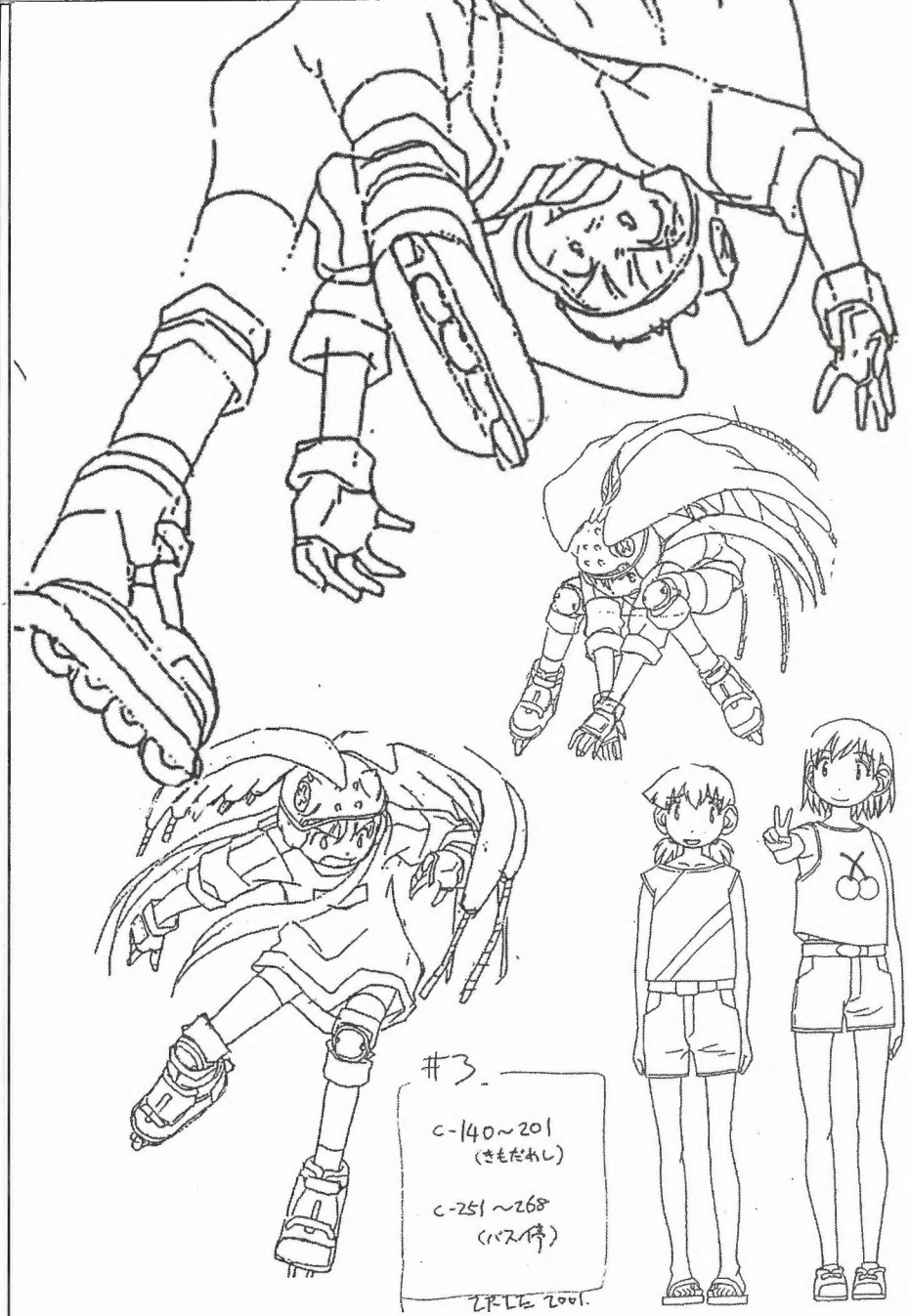
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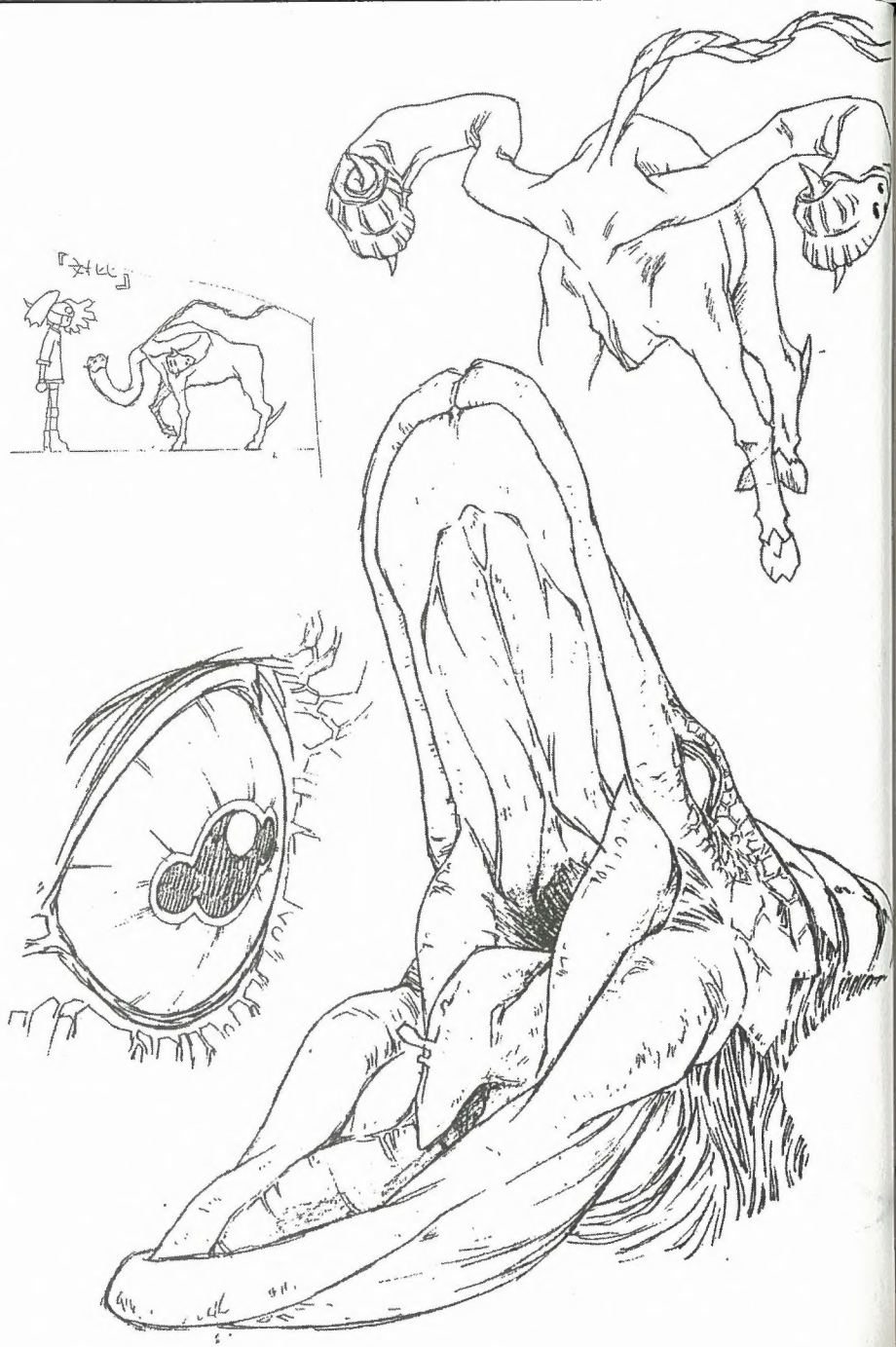
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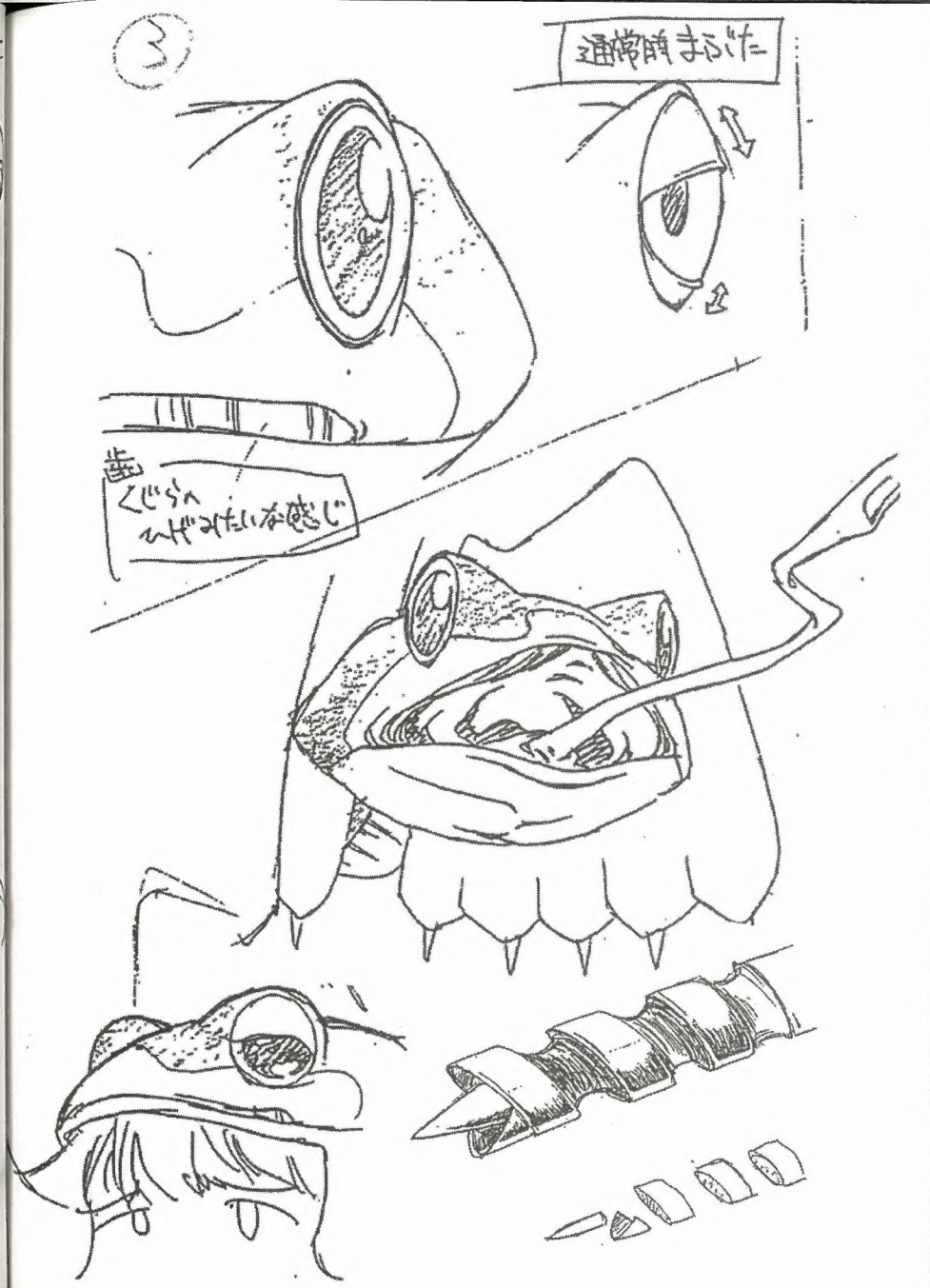
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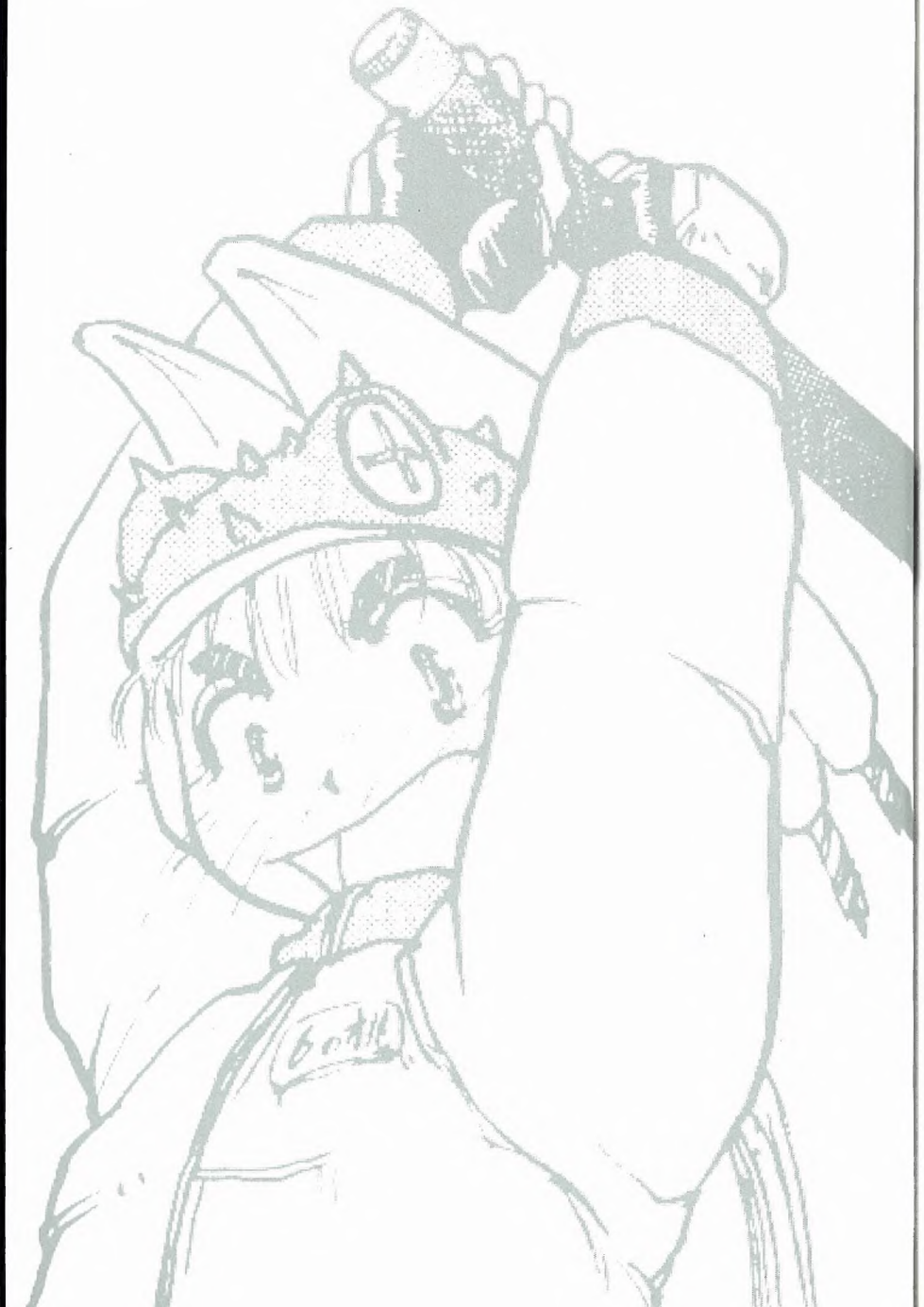

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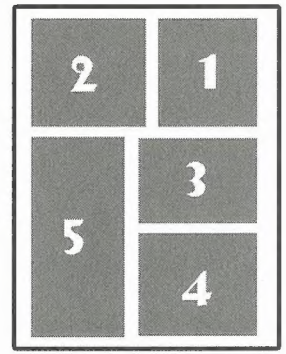

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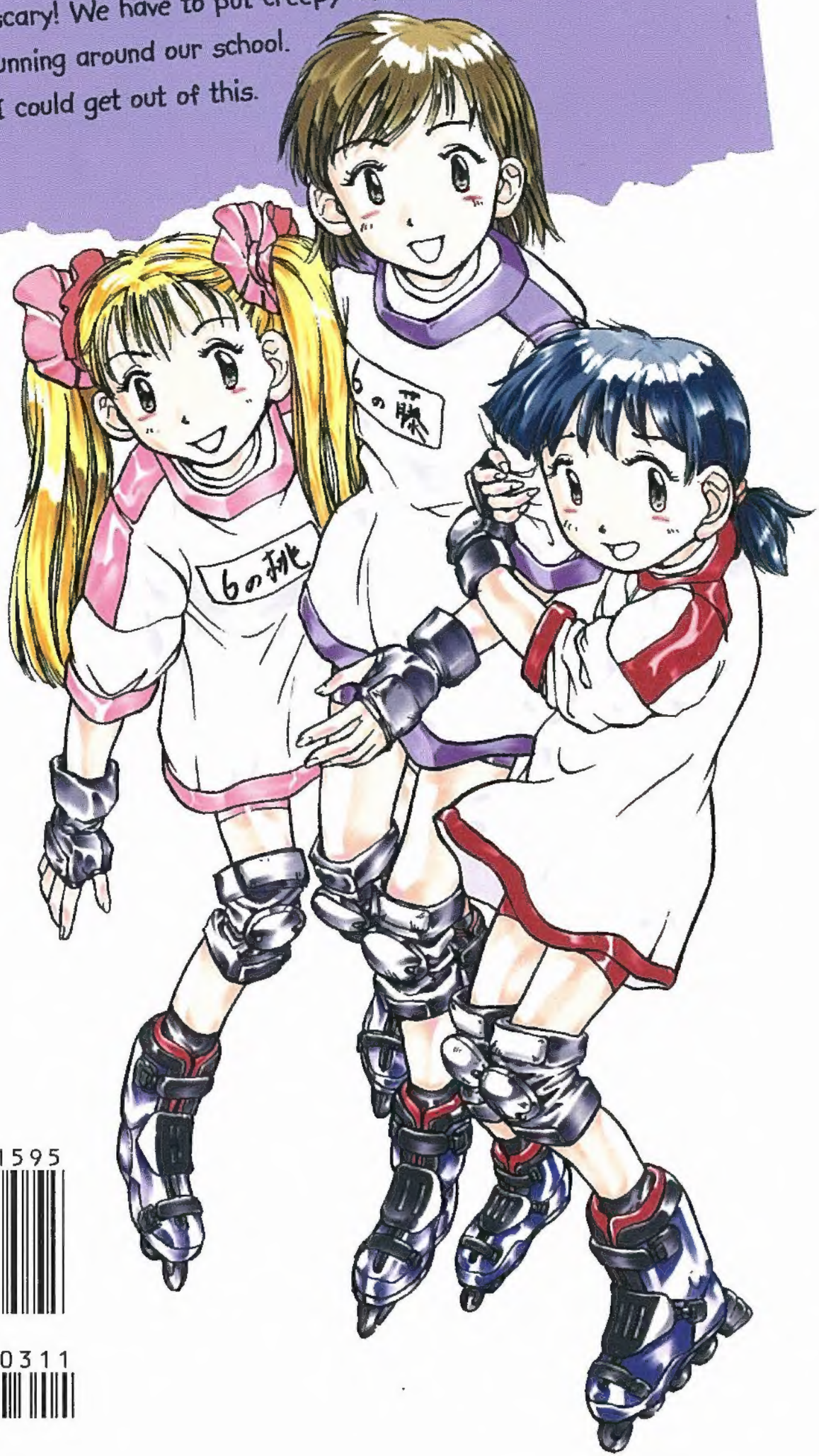
I feel so alone. I wish I could get out of this.
-YURI OTANI



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